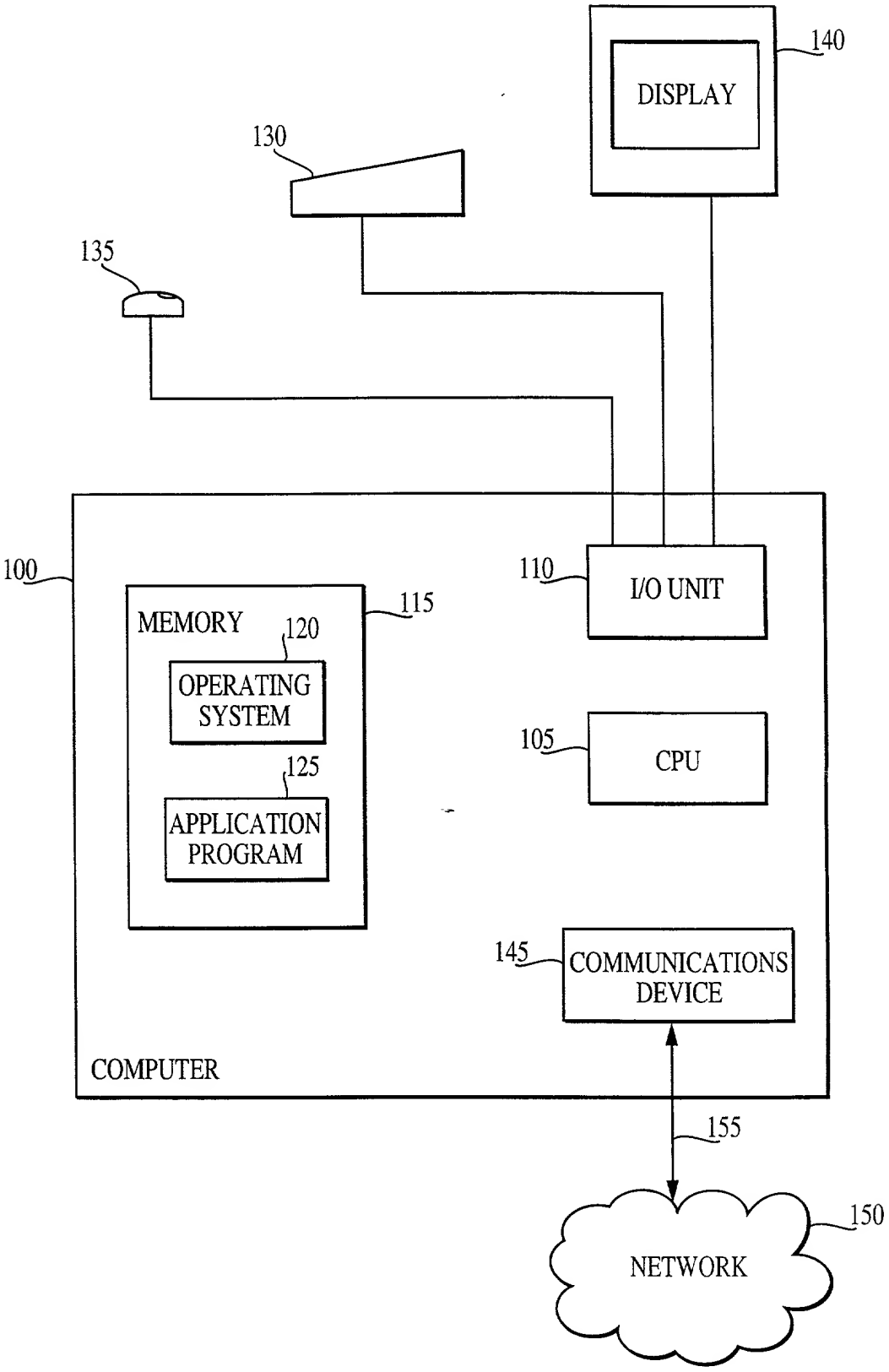
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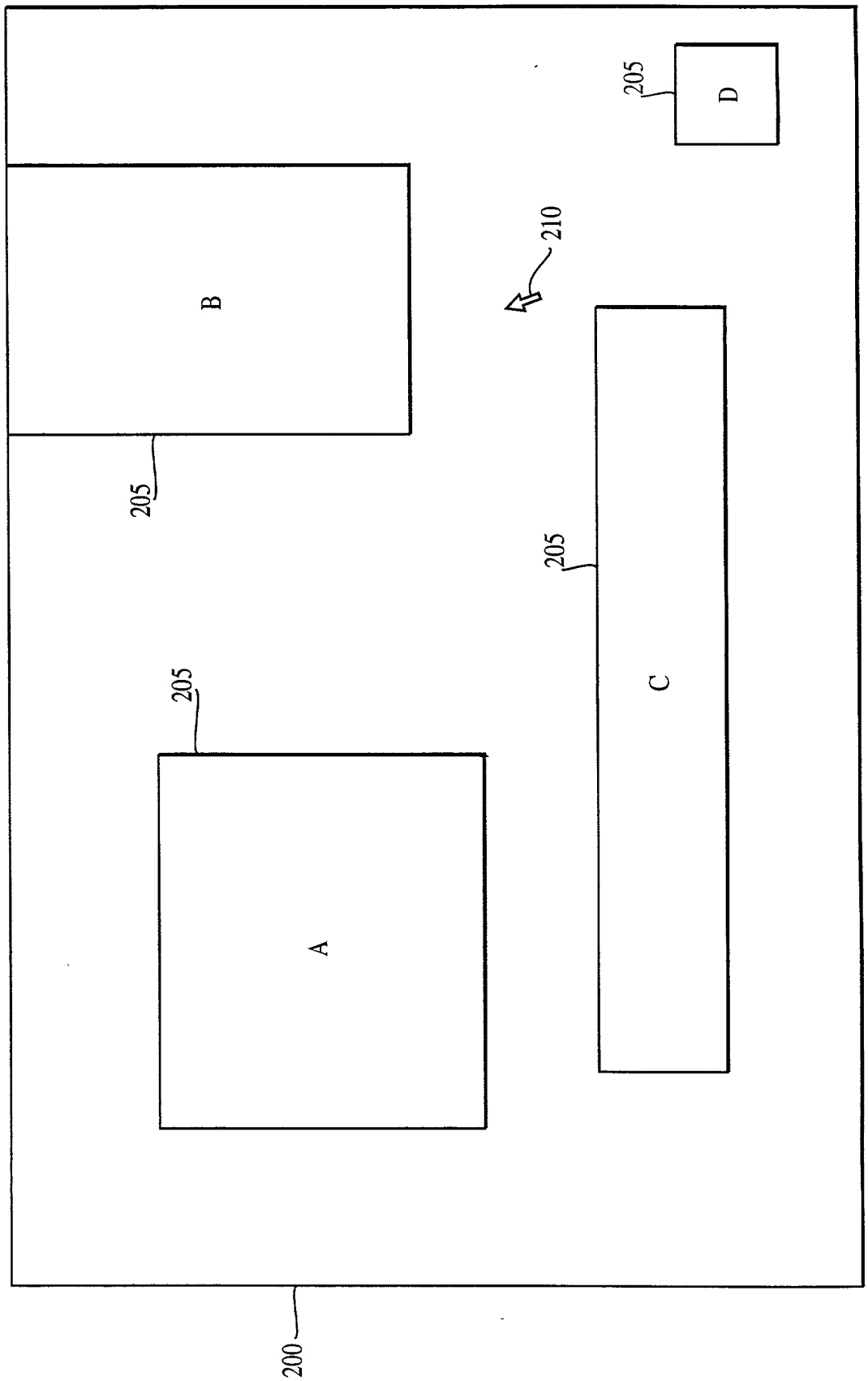


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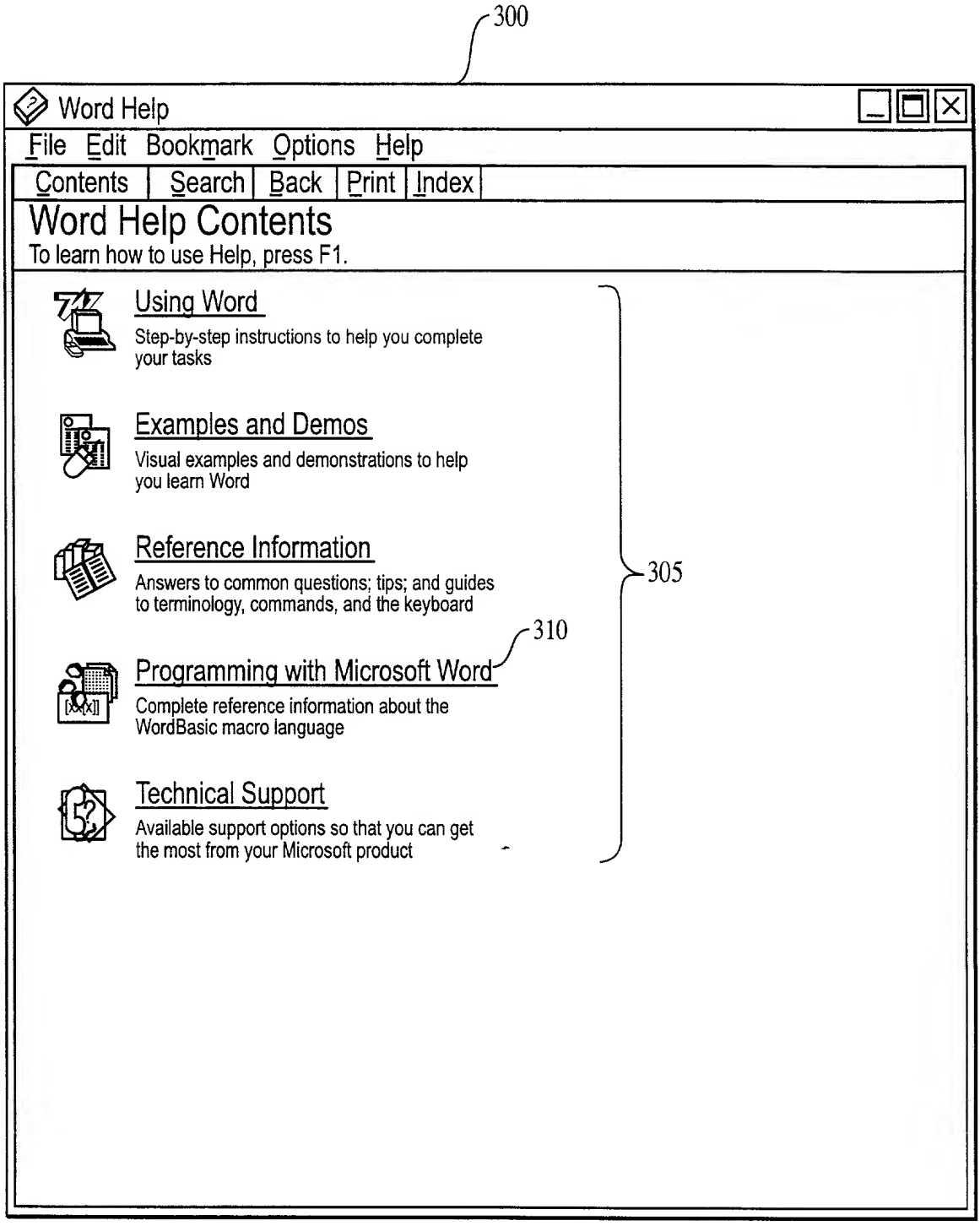


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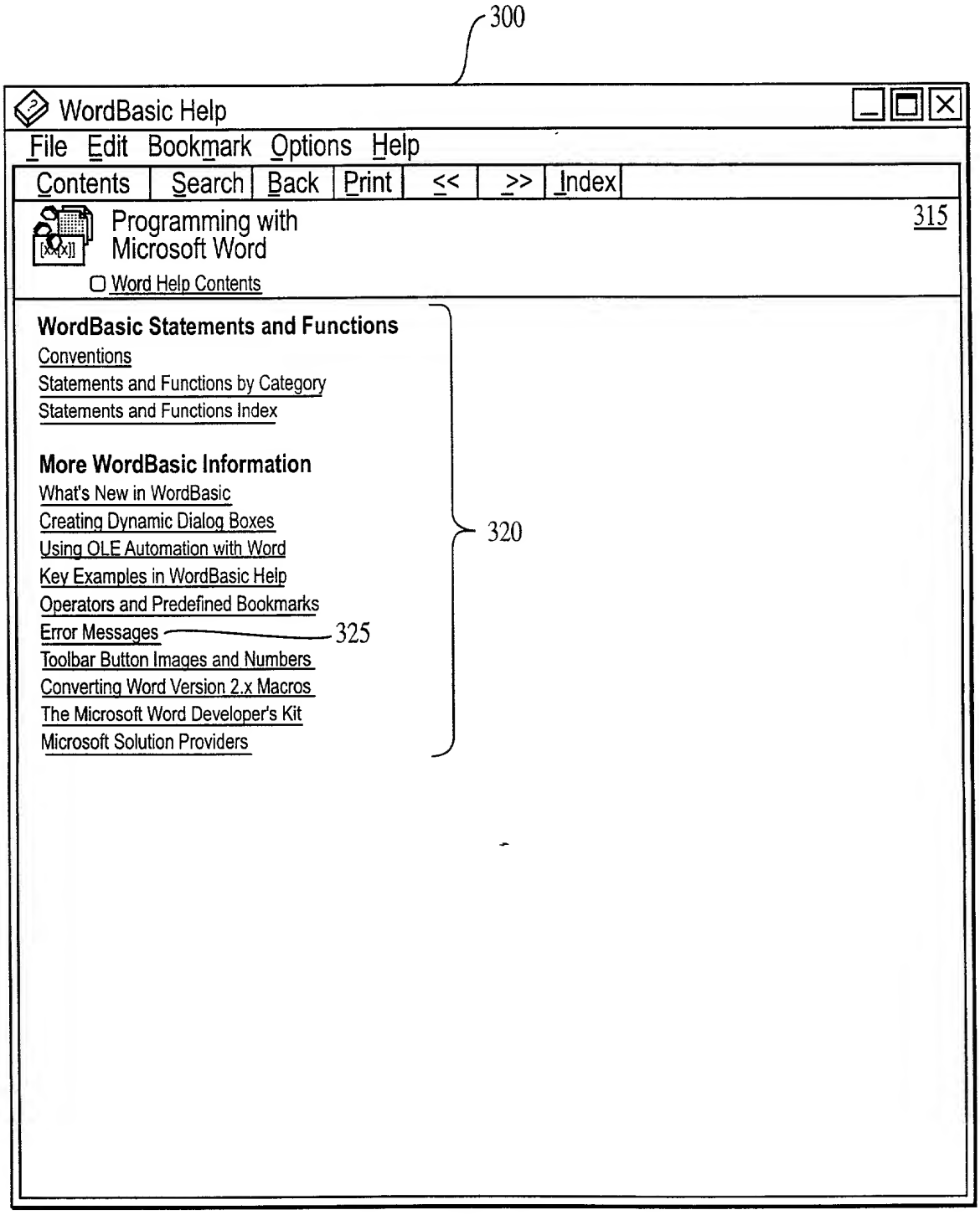


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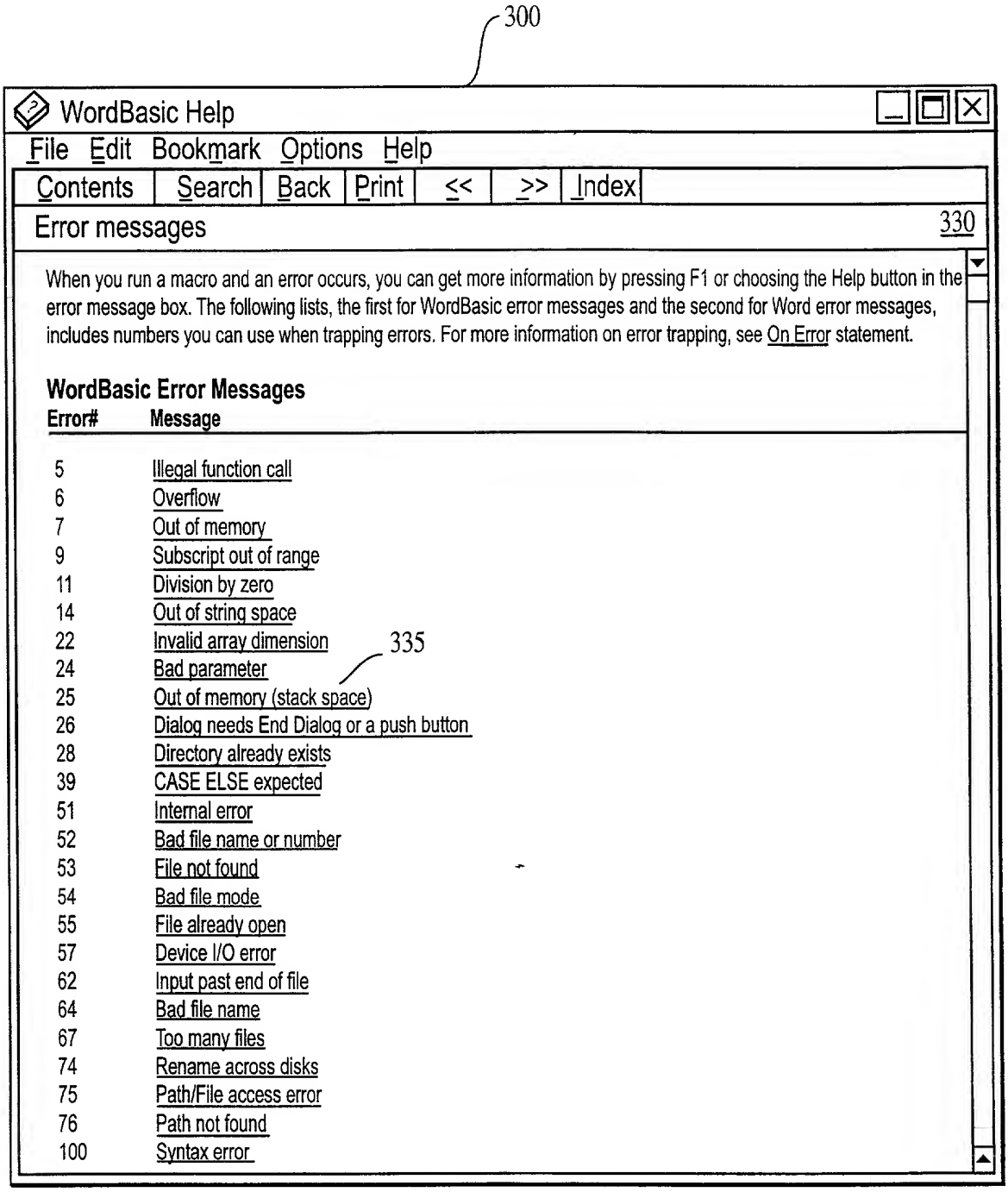


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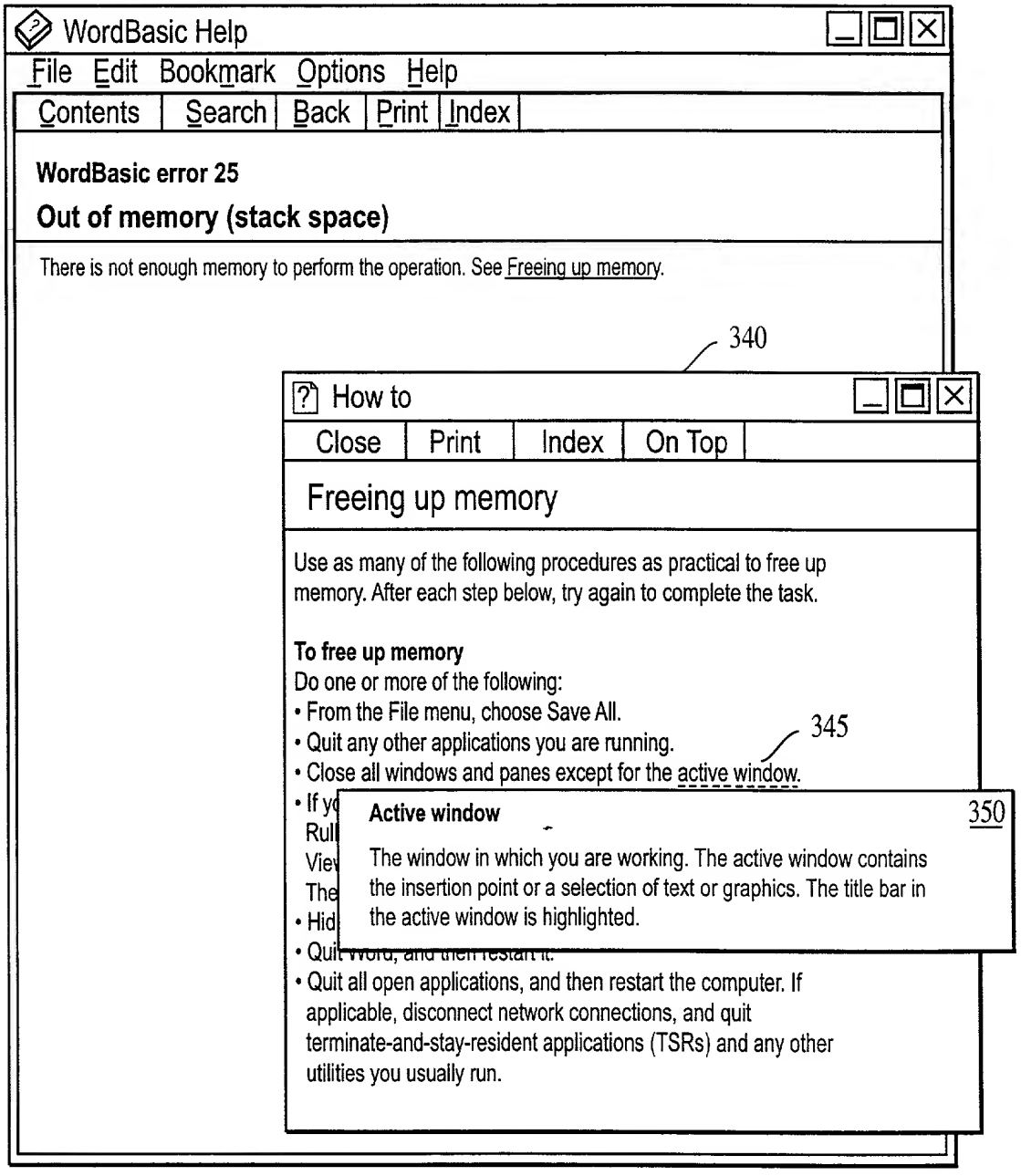


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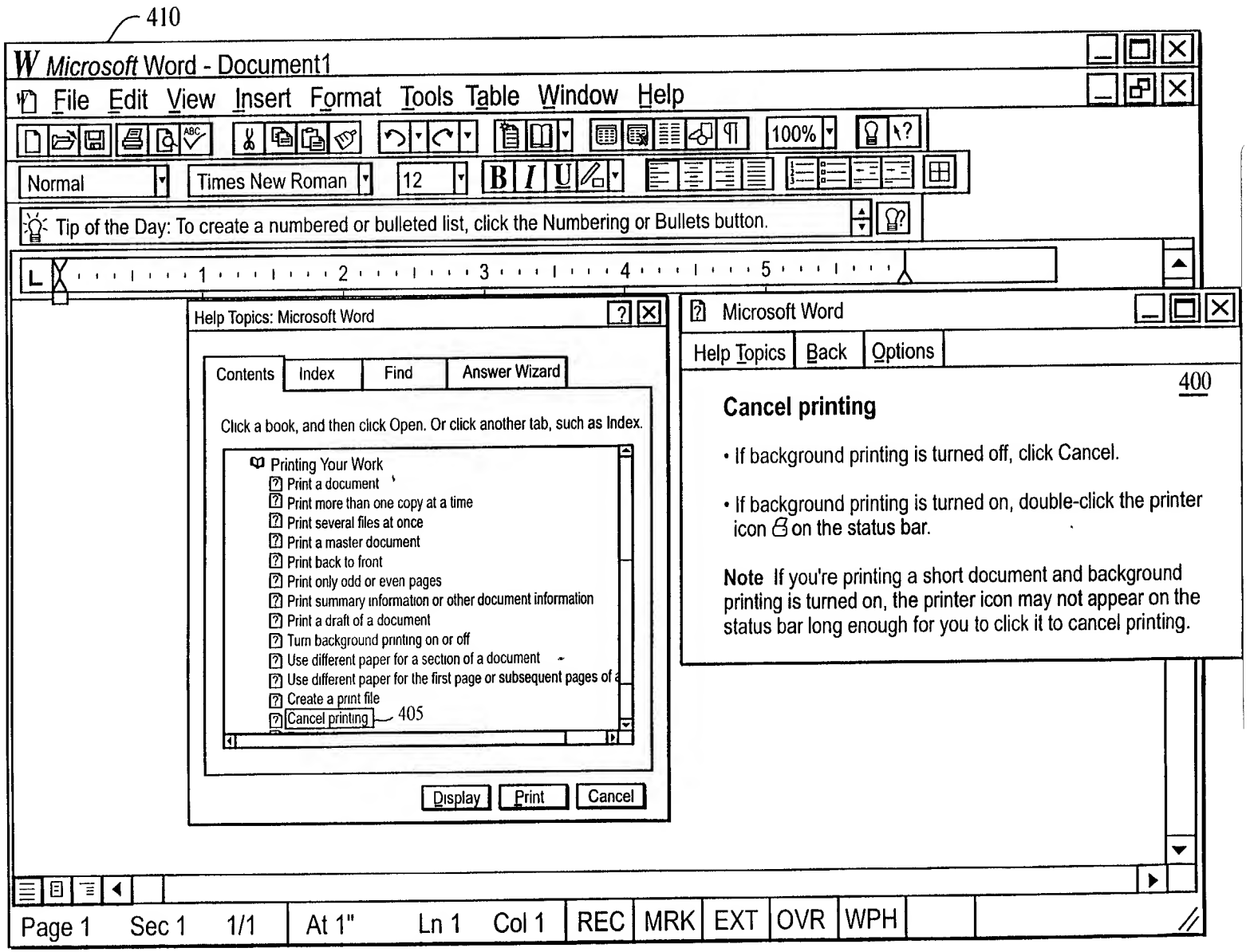


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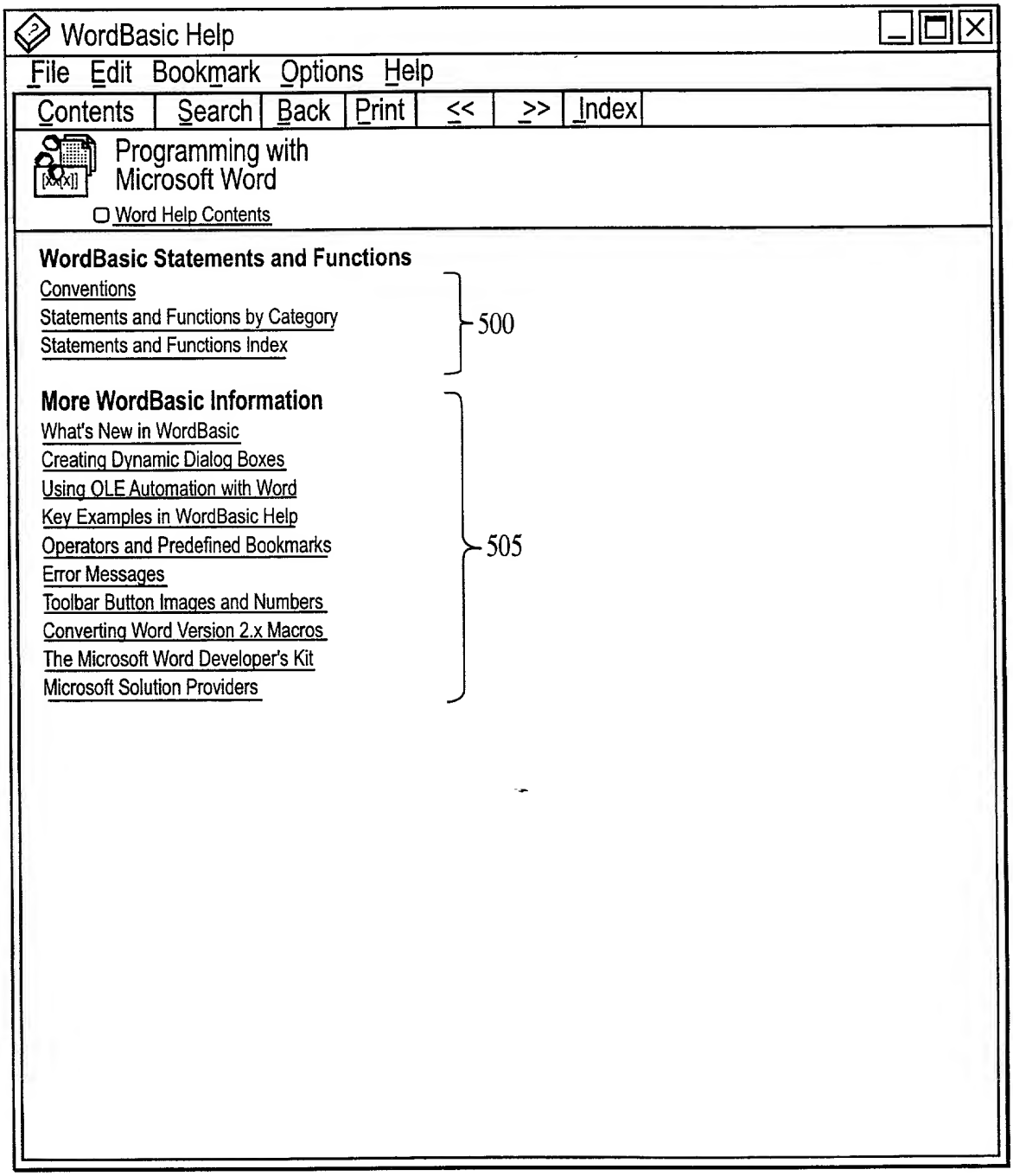


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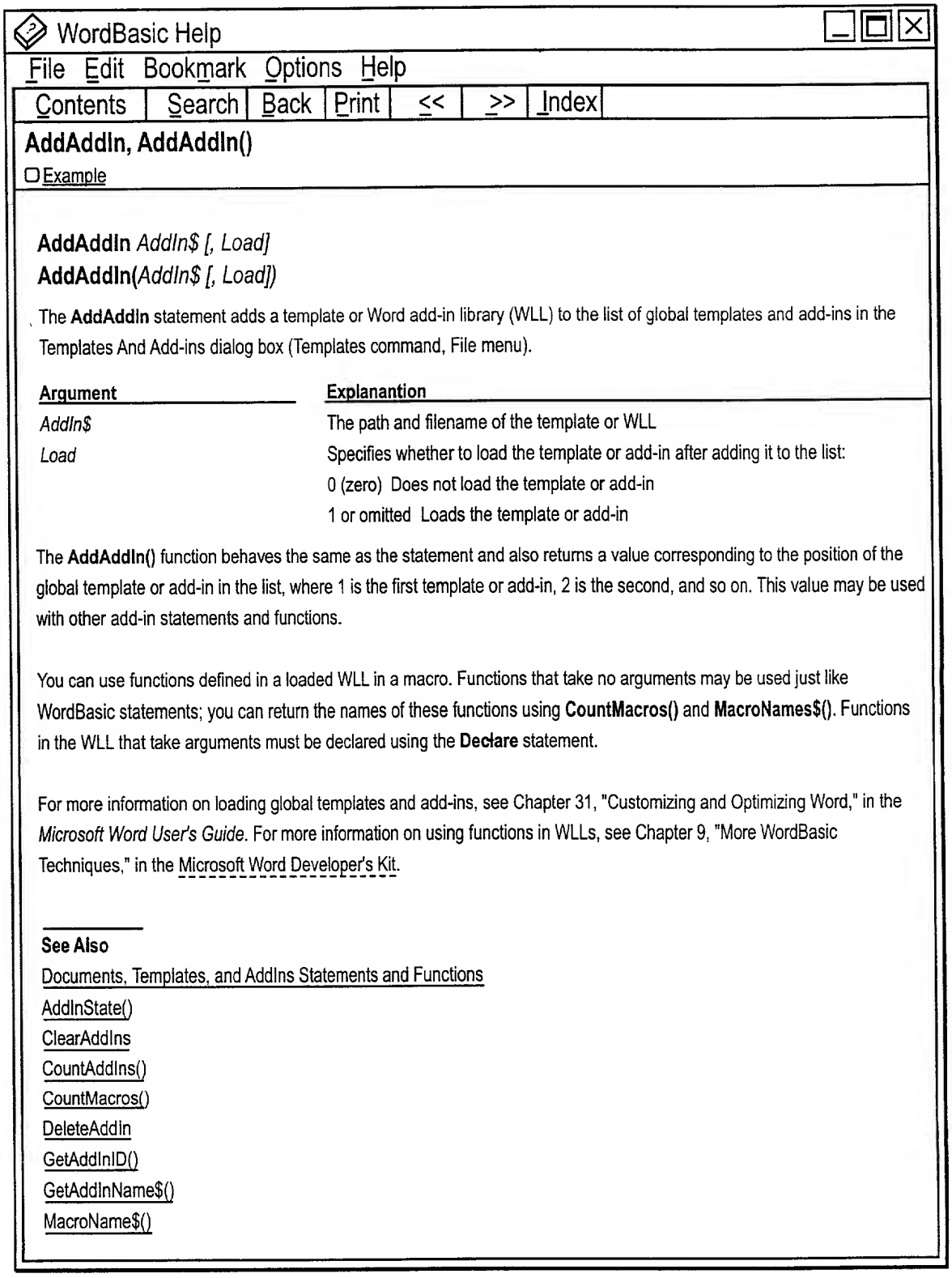

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**AddAddIn, AddAddIn()**

Example

**AddAddIn** *AddIn$ [, Load]*
**AddAddIn(***AddIn$ [, Load]***)**

The **AddAddIn** statement adds a template or Word add-in library (WLL) to the list of global templates and add-ins in the Templates And Add-ins dialog box (Templates command, File menu).

| Argument | Explanantion |
|---|---|
| *AddIn$* | The path and filename of the template or WLL |
| *Load* | Specifies whether to load the template or add-in after adding it to the list:<br>0 (zero) Does not load the template or add-in<br>1 or omitted Loads the template or add-in |

The **AddAddIn()** function behaves the same as the statement and also returns a value corresponding to the position of the global template or add-in in the list, where 1 is the first template or add-in, 2 is the second, and so on. This value may be used with other add-in statements and functions.

You can use functions defined in a loaded WLL in a macro. Functions that take no arguments may be used just like WordBasic statements; you can return the names of these functions using **CountMacros()** and **MacroNames$()**. Functions in the WLL that take arguments must be declared using the **Declare** statement.

For more information on loading global templates and add-ins, see Chapter 31, "Customizing and Optimizing Word," in the *Microsoft Word User's Guide*. For more information on using functions in WLLs, see Chapter 9, "More WordBasic Techniques," in the Microsoft Word Developer's Kit.

**See Also**

Documents, Templates, and AddIns Statements and Functions
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CountAddIns()
CountMacros()
DeleteAddIn
GetAddInID()
GetAddInName$()
MacroName$()

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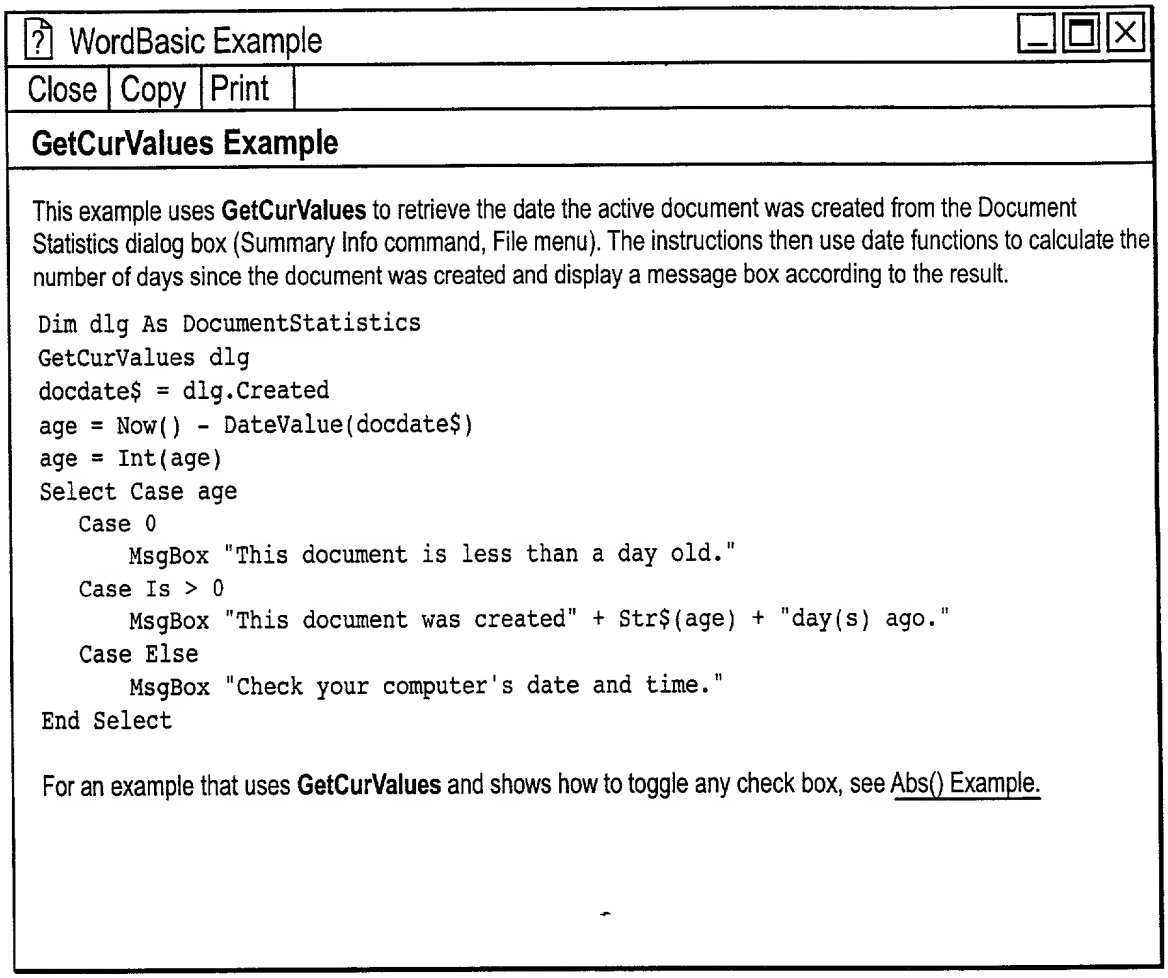


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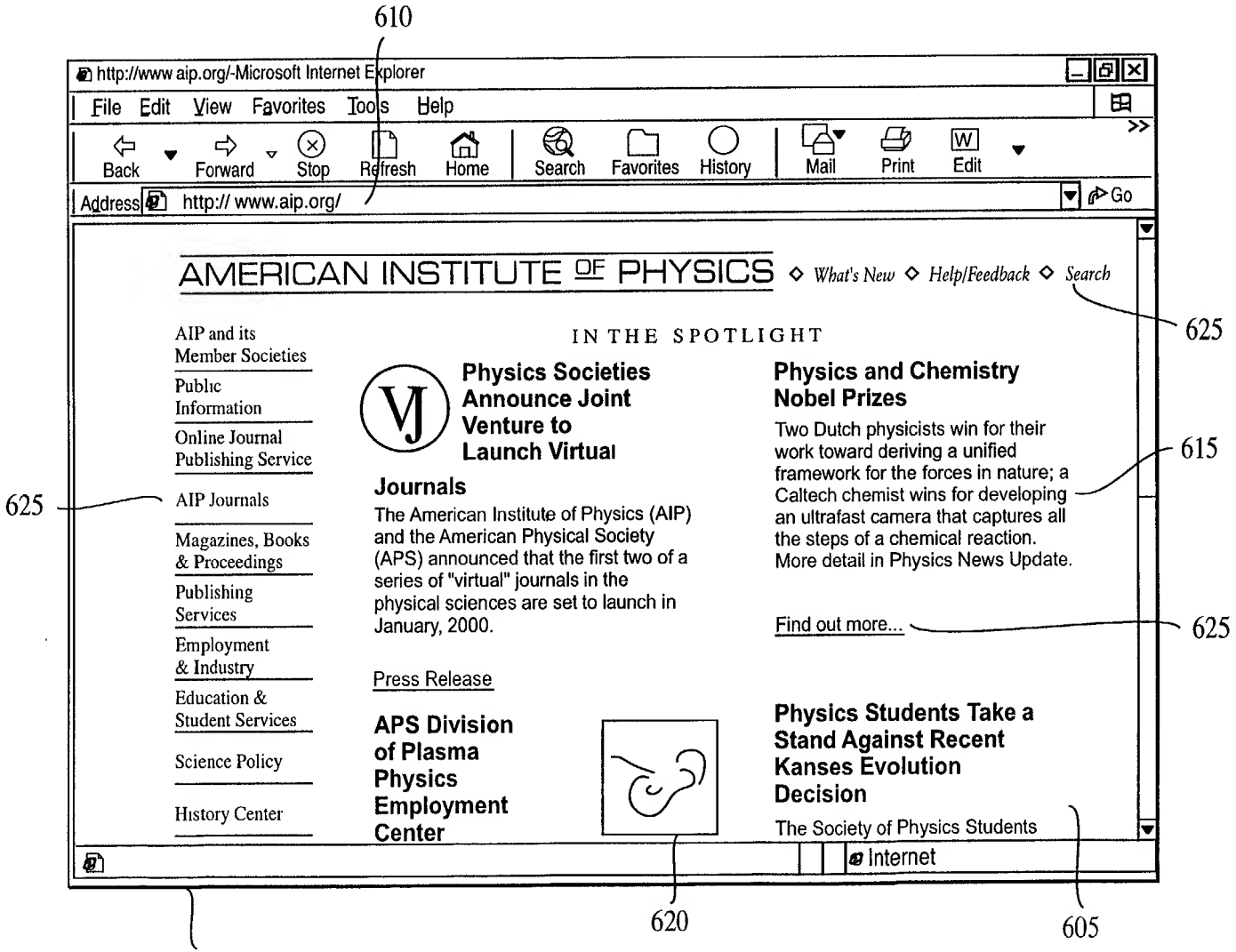
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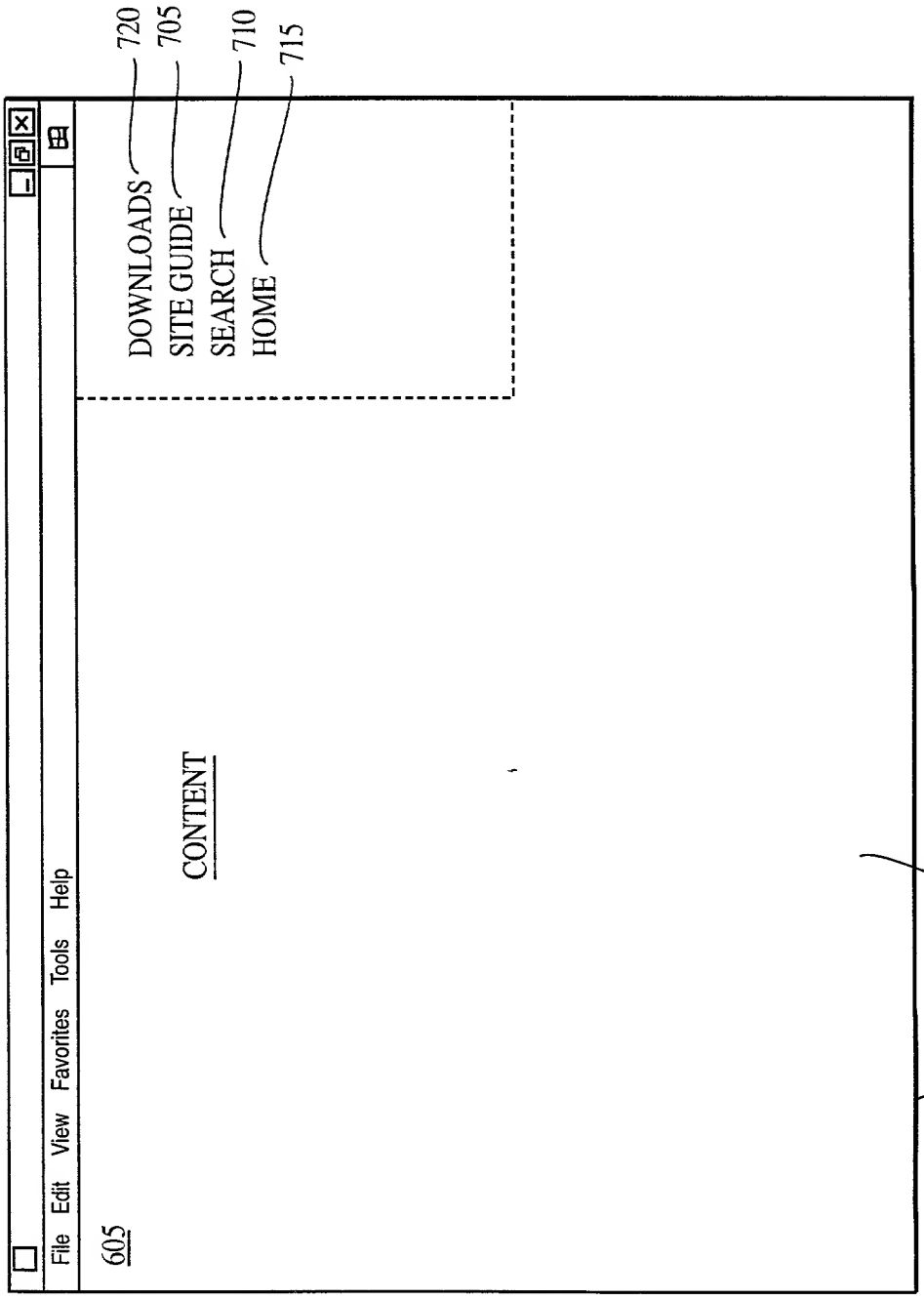
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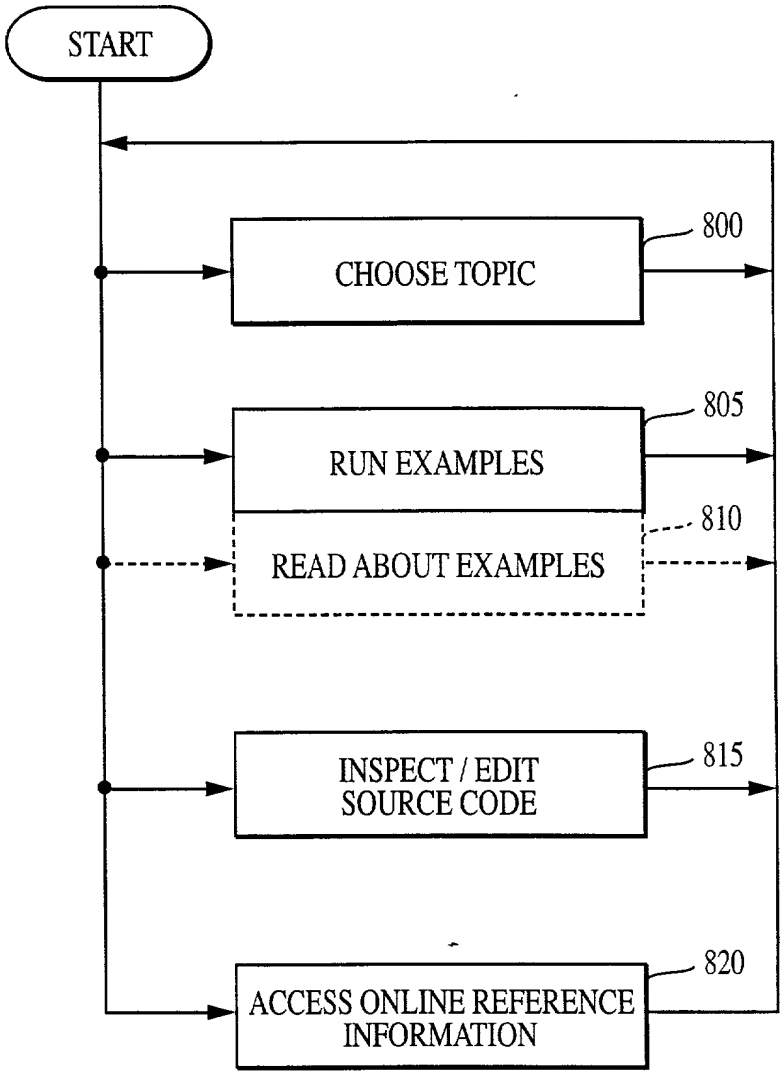
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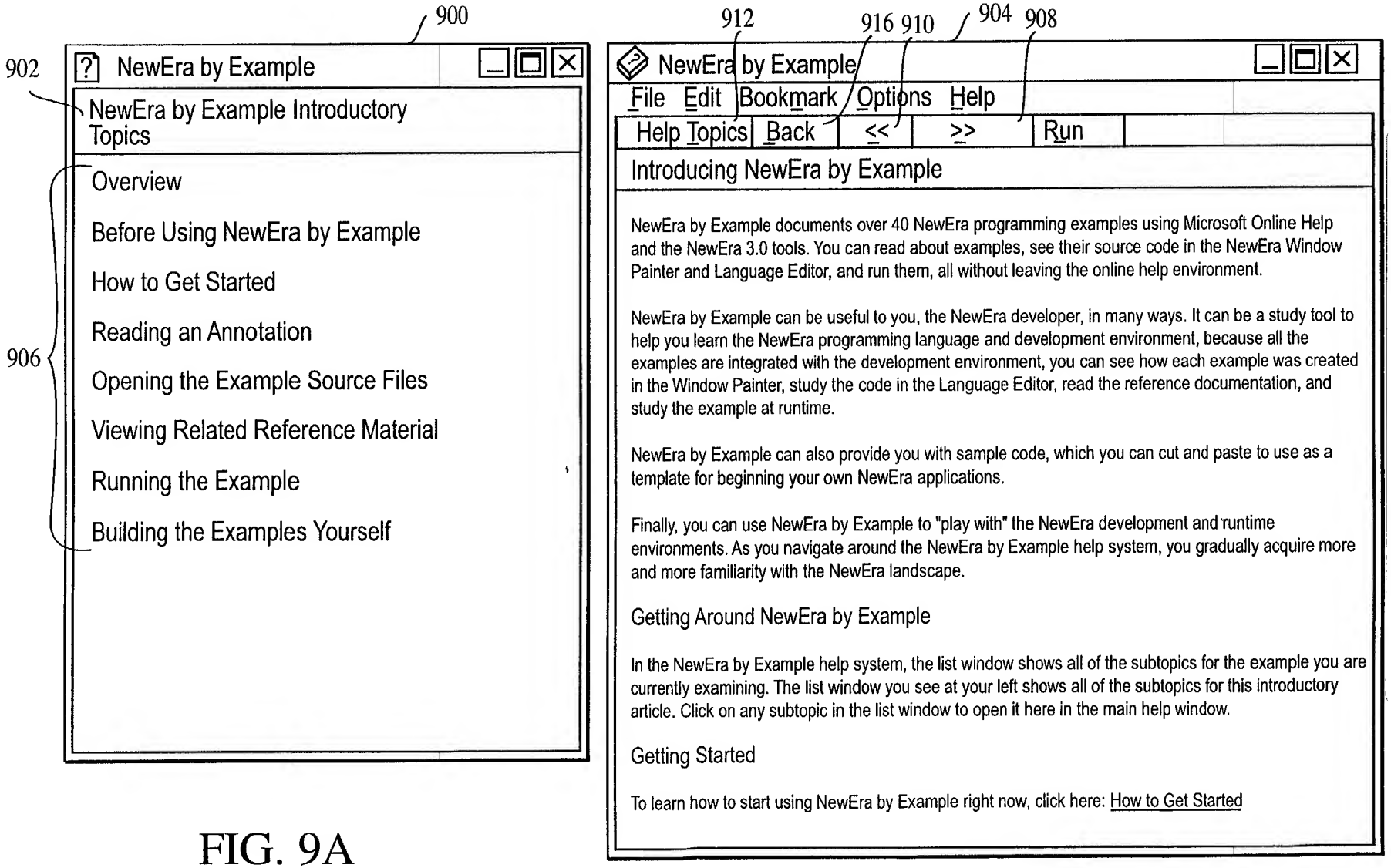
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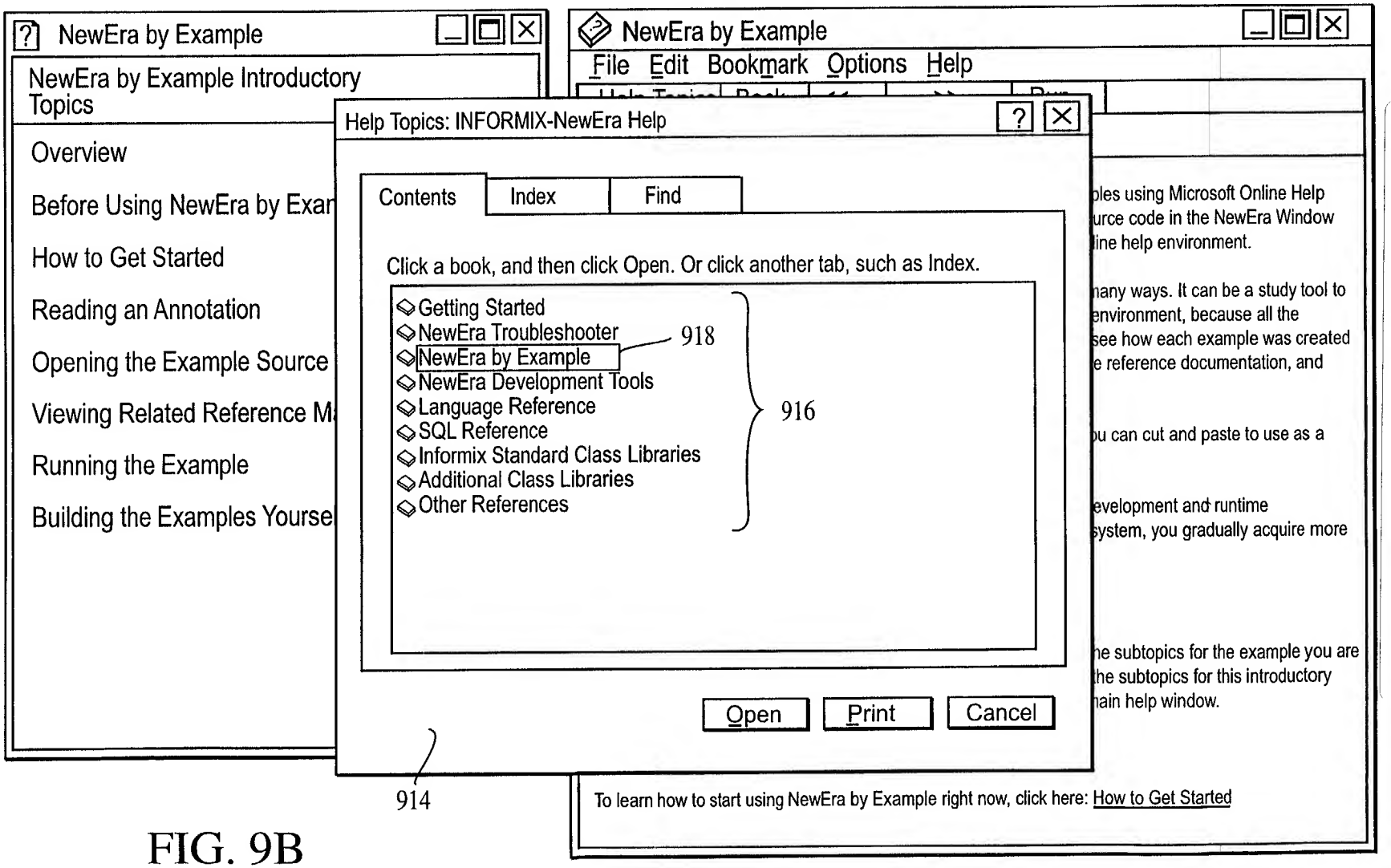
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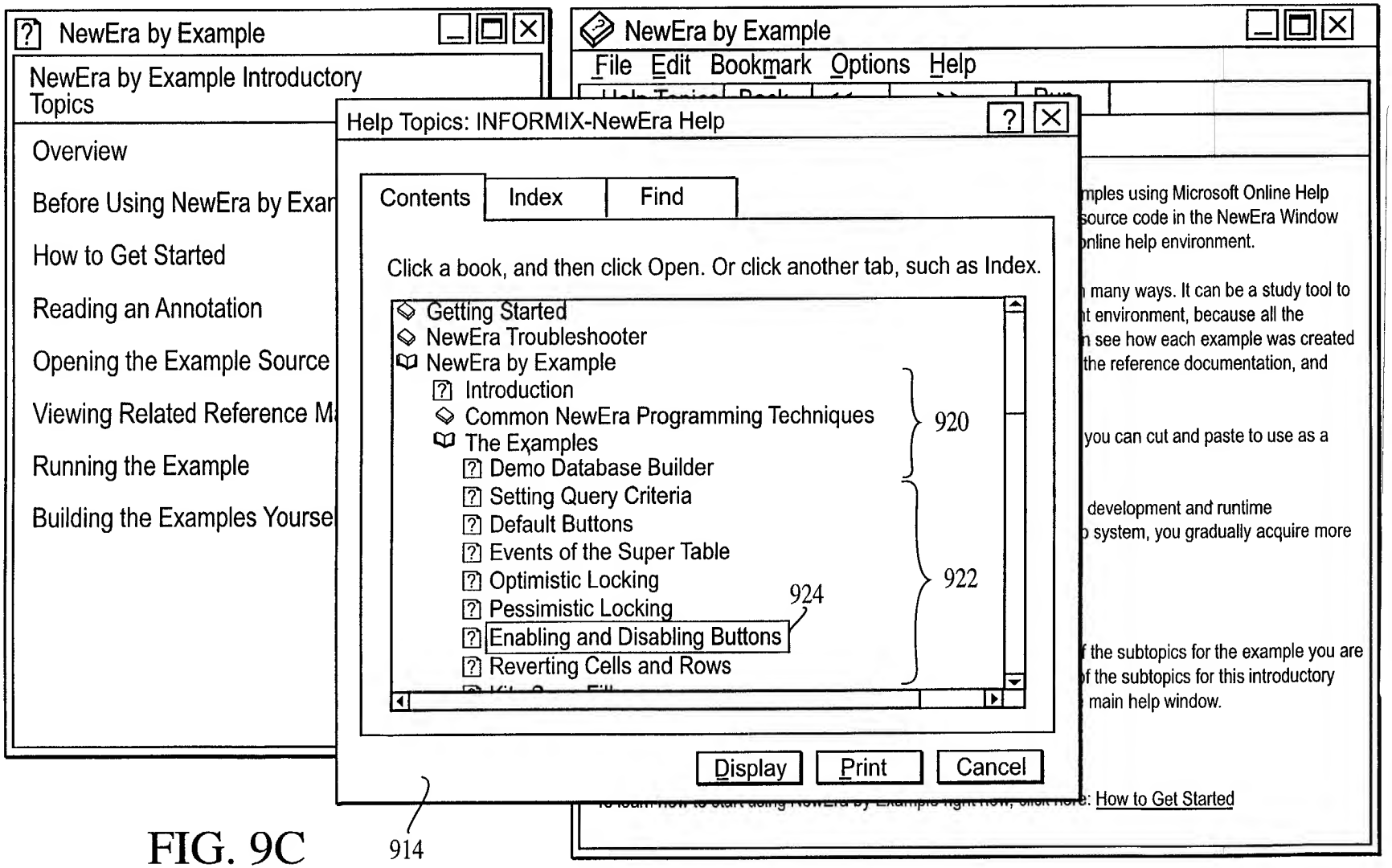
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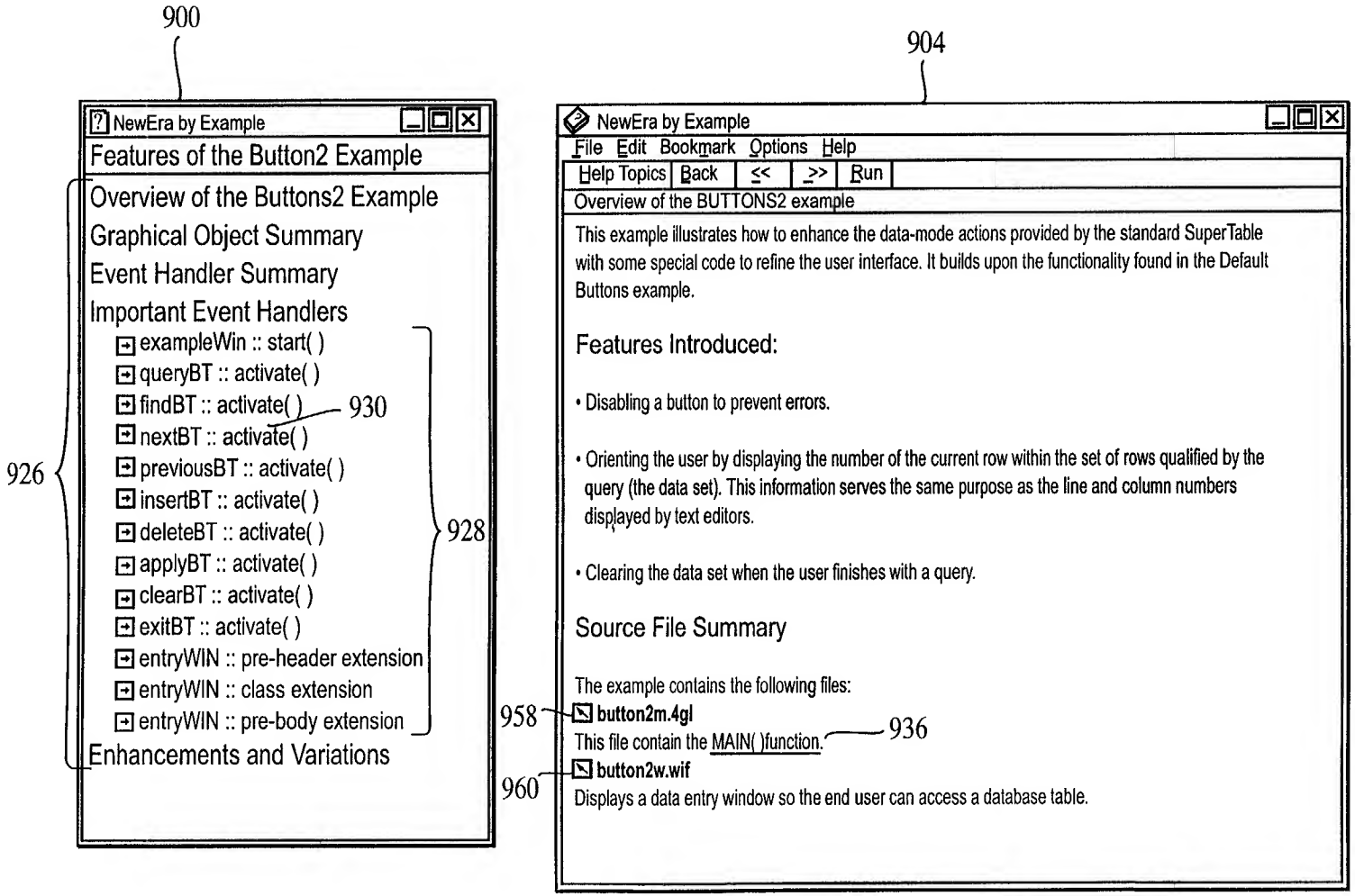
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This example illustrates how to enhance the data-mode actions provided by the standard SuperTable with some special code to refine the user interface. It builds upon the functionality found in the Default Buttons example.
Features Introduced:
• Disabling a button to prevent errors.
• Orienting the user by displaying the number of the current row within the set of rows qualified by the query (the data set). This information serves the same purpose as the line and column numbers displayed by text editors.
• Clearing the data set when the user finishes with a query.
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The example contains the following files:
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This file contain the MAIN( )function.
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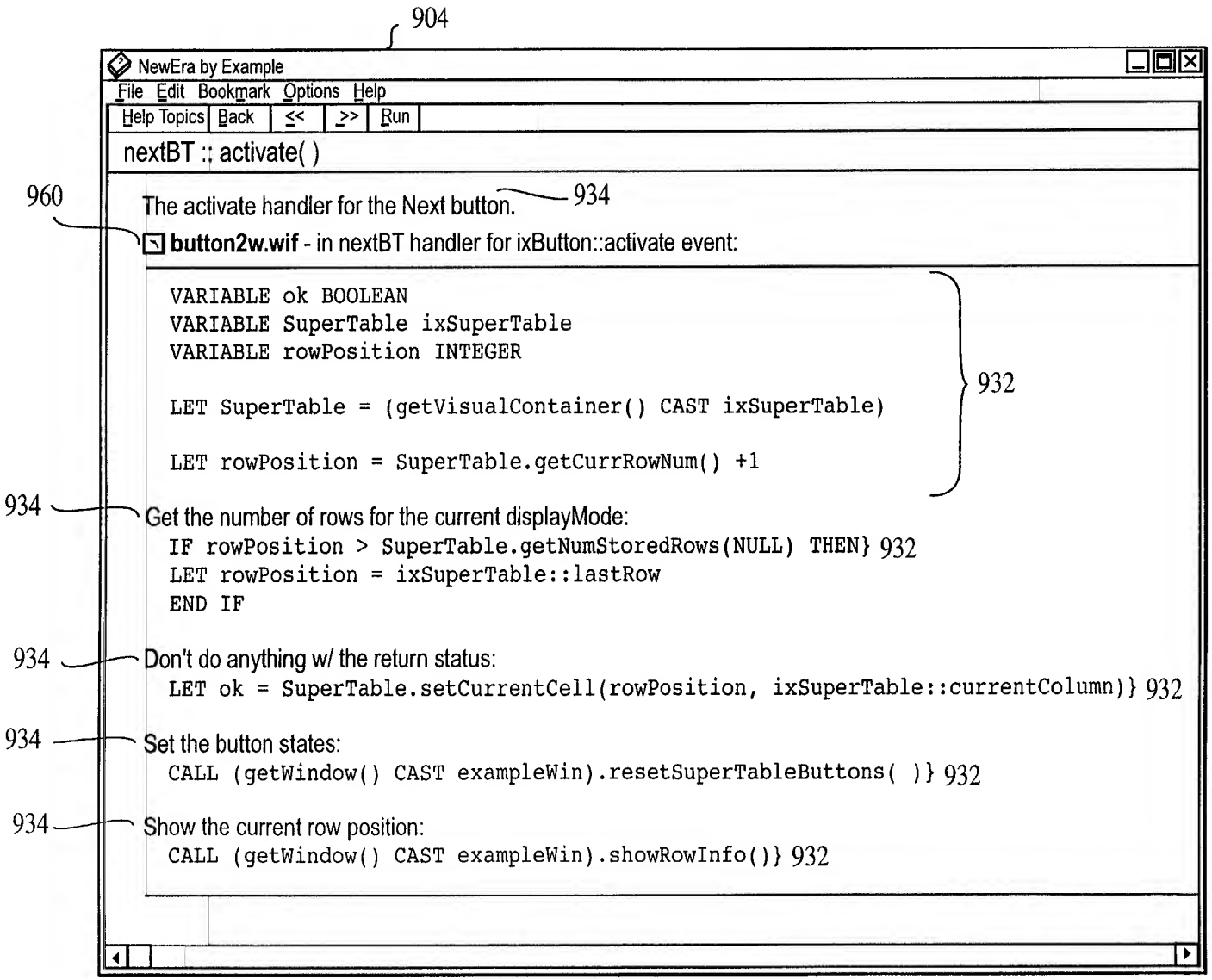
button2w.wif
Displays a data entry window so the end user can access a database table.

FIG. 9D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The activate handler for the Next button.
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button2w.wif - in nextBT handler for ixButton::activate event:
VARIABLE ok BOOLEAN
VARIABLE SuperTable ixSuperTable
VARIABLE rowPosition INTEGER
LET SuperTable = (getVisualContainer() CAST ixSuperTable)
LET rowPosition = SuperTable.getCurrRowNum() +1
932
934
Get the number of rows for the current displayMode:
IF rowPosition > SuperTable.getNumStoredRows(NULL) THEN} 932
LET rowPosition = ixSuperTable::lastRow
END IF
934
Don't do anything w/ the return status:
LET ok = SuperTable.setCurrentCell(rowPosition, ixSuperTable::currentColumn)} 932
934
Set the button states:
CALL (getWindow() CAST exampleWin).resetSuperTableButtons( )} 932
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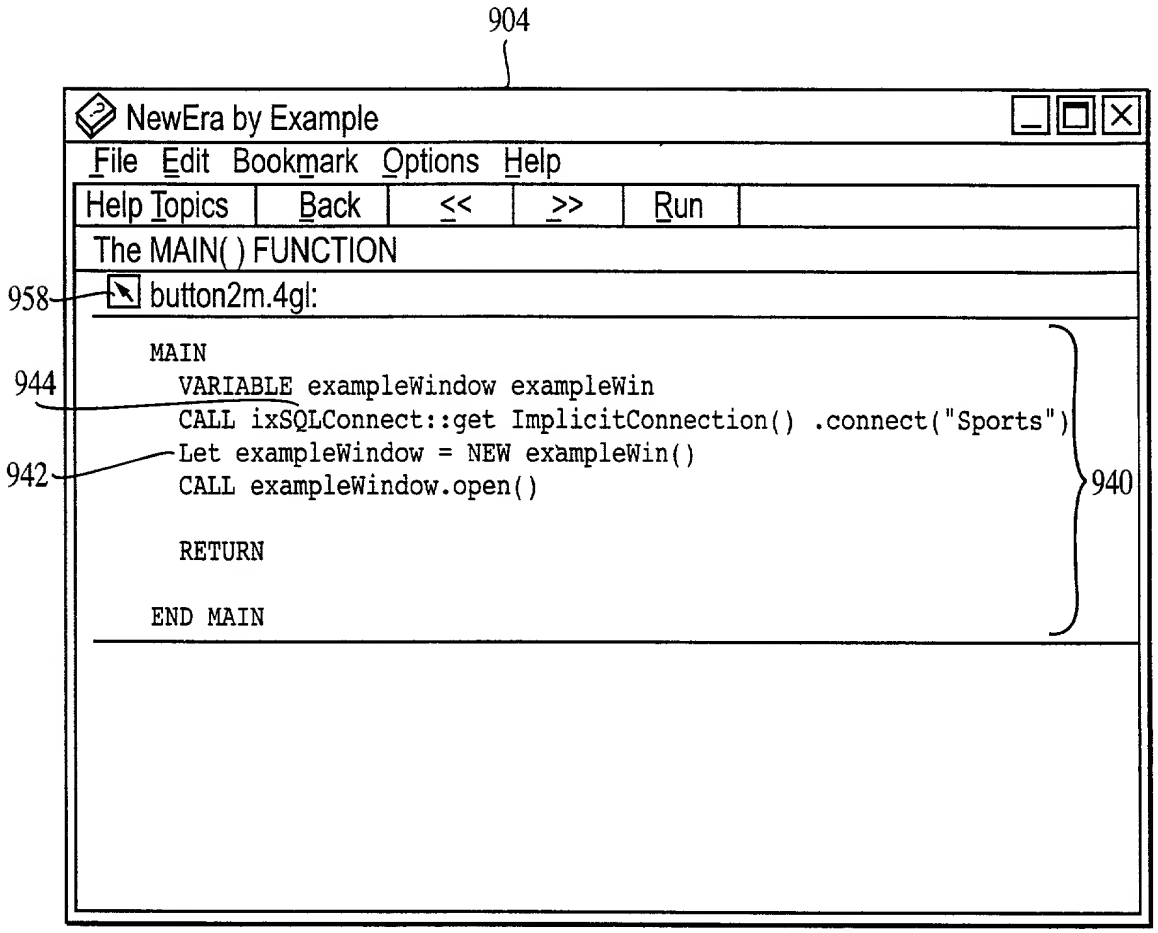
CALL (getWindow() CAST exampleWin).showRowInfo()} 932

FIG. 9E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VARIABLE exampleWindow exampleWin
CALL ixSQLConnect::get ImplicitConnection() .connect("Sports")
Let exampleWindow = NEW exampleWin()
942
CALL exampleWindow.open()
RETURN
END MAIN
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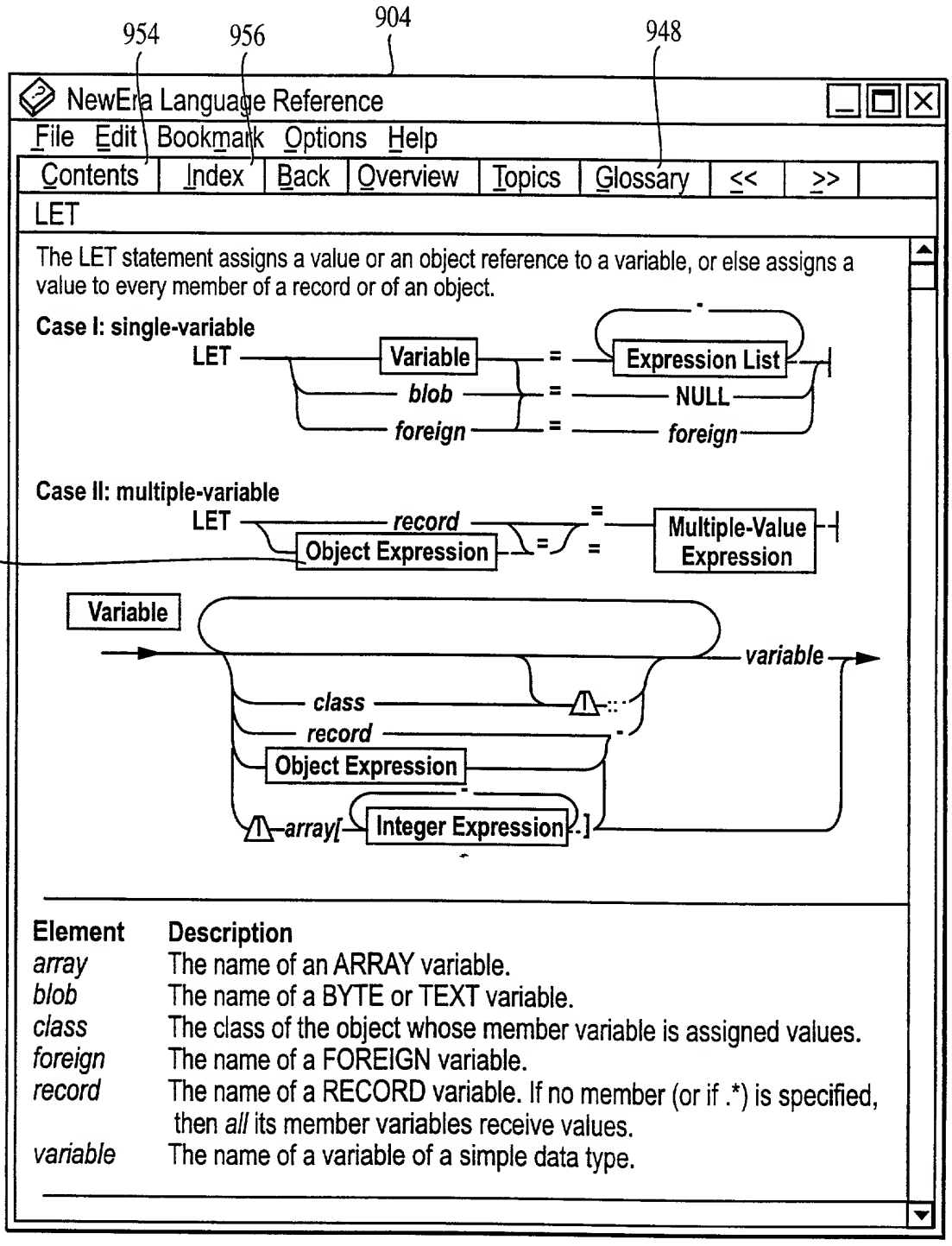
FIG. 9F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The LET statement assigns a value or an object reference to a variable, or else assigns a value to every member of a record or of an object.
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The name of an ARRAY variable.
blob
The name of a BYTE or TEXT variable.
class
The class of the object whose member variable is assigned values.
foreign
The name of a FOREIGN variable.
record
The name of a RECORD variable. If no member (or if .*) is specified, then all its member variables receive values.
variable
The name of a variable of a simple data type.

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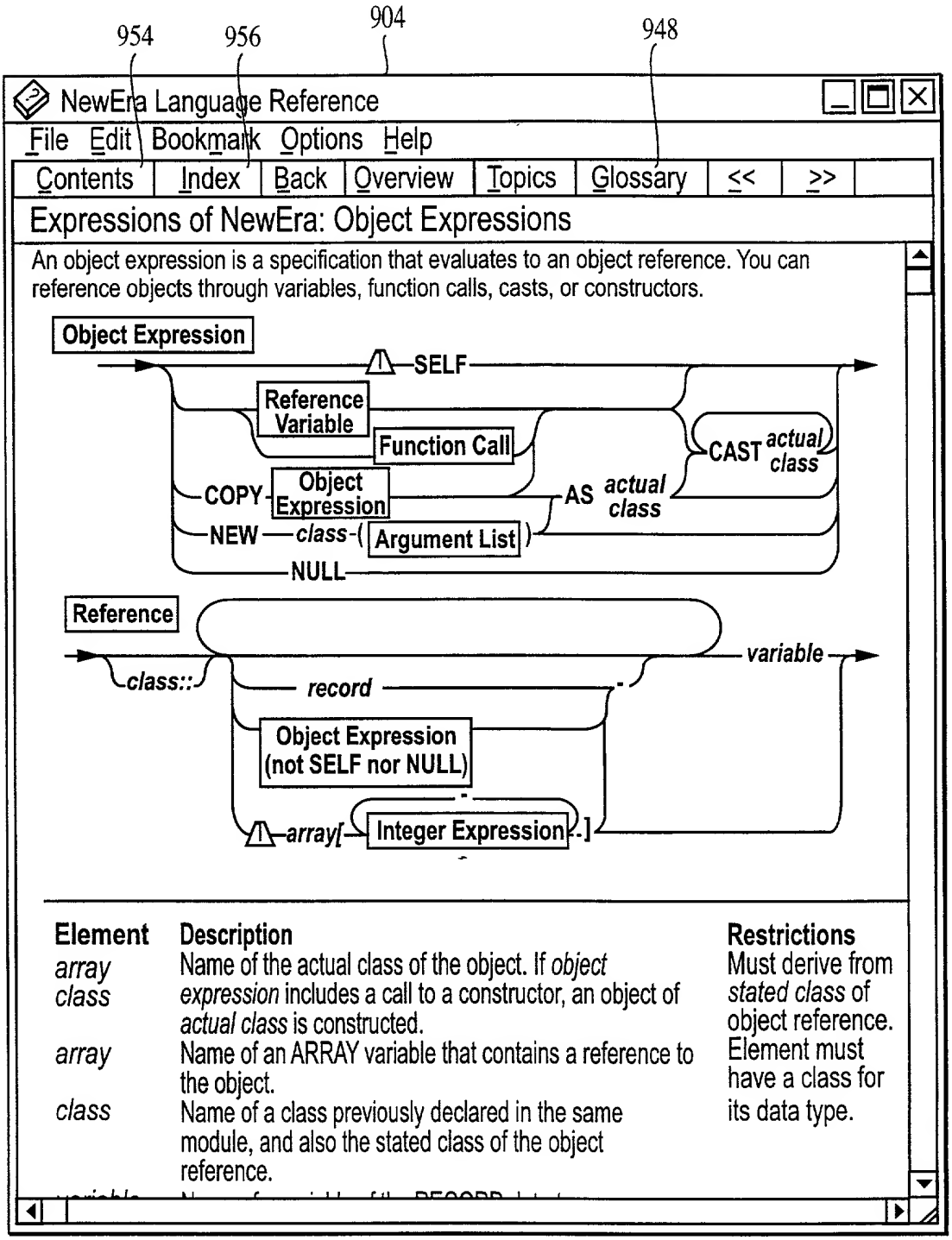
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AS actual class
NEW class ( Argument List )
NULL
Reference
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Object Expression (not SELF nor NULL)
array[ Integer Expression ]
Element
Description
Restrictions
array
Name of the actual class of the object. If object expression includes a call to a constructor, an object of actual class is constructed.
Must derive from stated class of object reference.
class
array
Name of an ARRAY variable that contains a reference to the object.
Element must have a class for its data type.
class
Name of a class previously declared in the same module, and also the stated class of the object reference.

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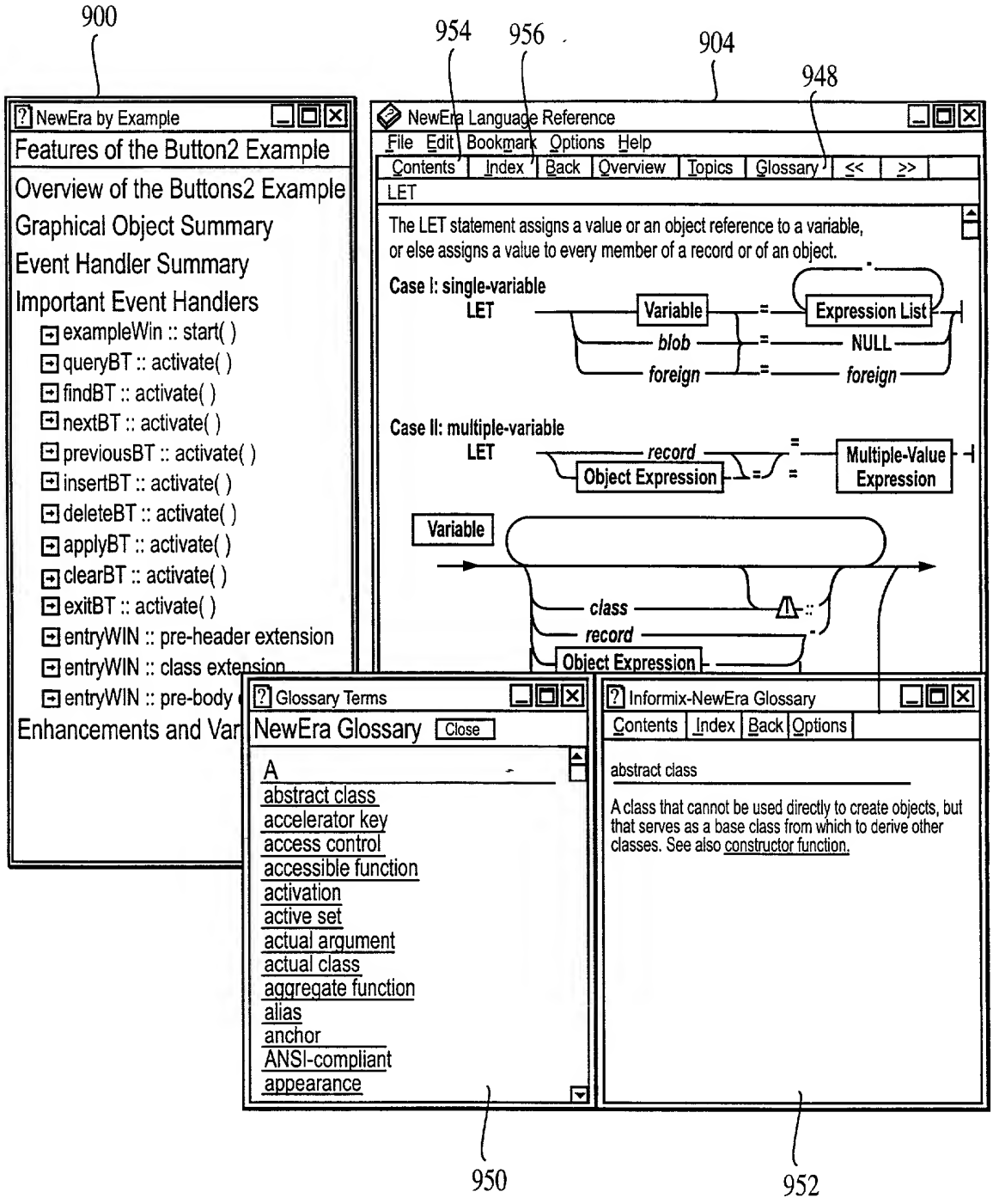
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abstract class
A class that cannot be used directly to create objects, but that serves as a base class from which to derive other classes. See also constructor function.
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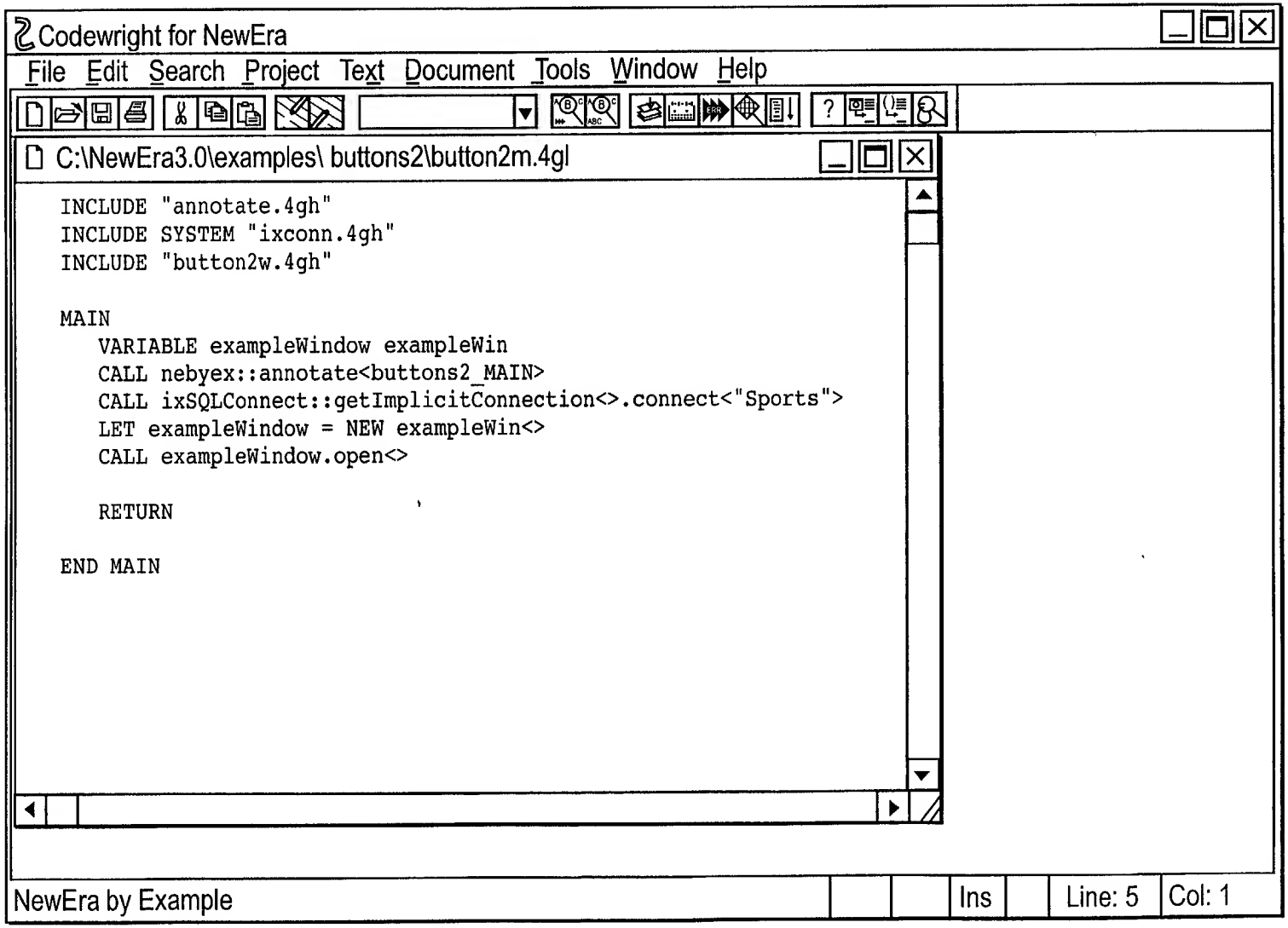
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INCLUDE SYSTEM "ixconn.4gh"
INCLUDE "button2w.4gh"
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VARIABLE exampleWindow exampleWin
CALL nebyex::annotate<buttons2_MAIN>
CALL ixSQLConnect::getImplicitConnection<>.connect<"Sports">
LET exampleWindow = NEW exampleWin<>
CALL exampleWindow.open<>
RETURN
END MAIN
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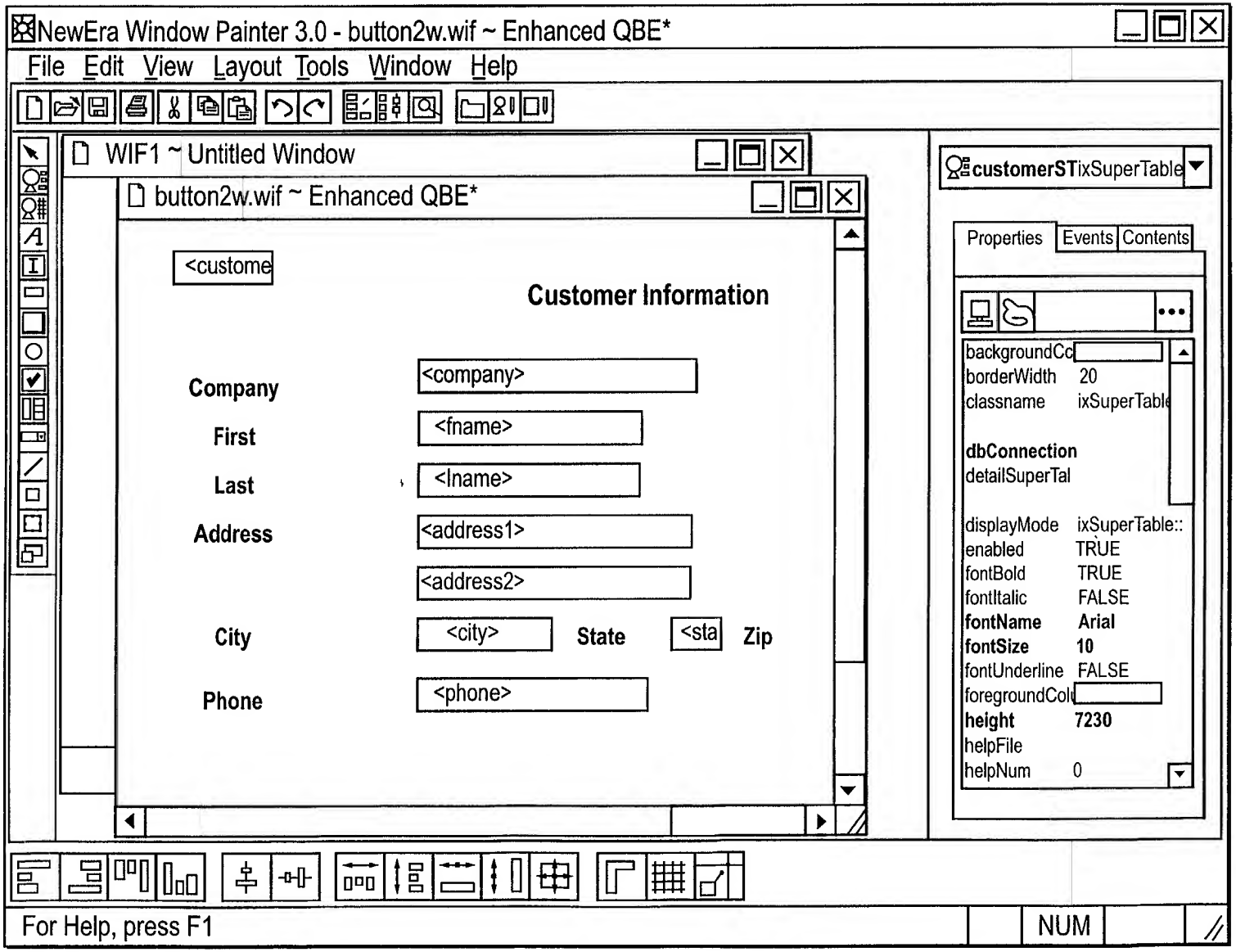
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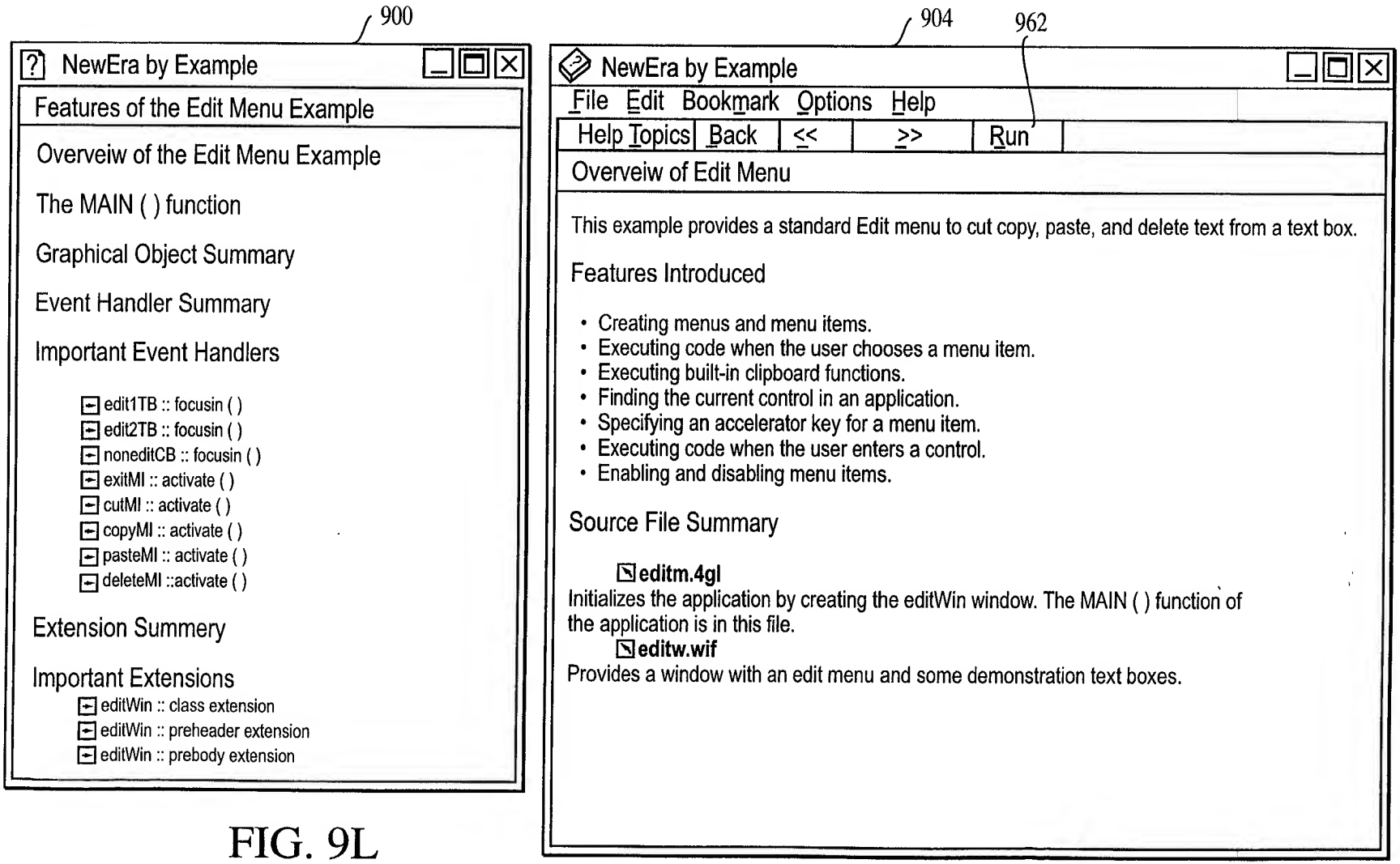
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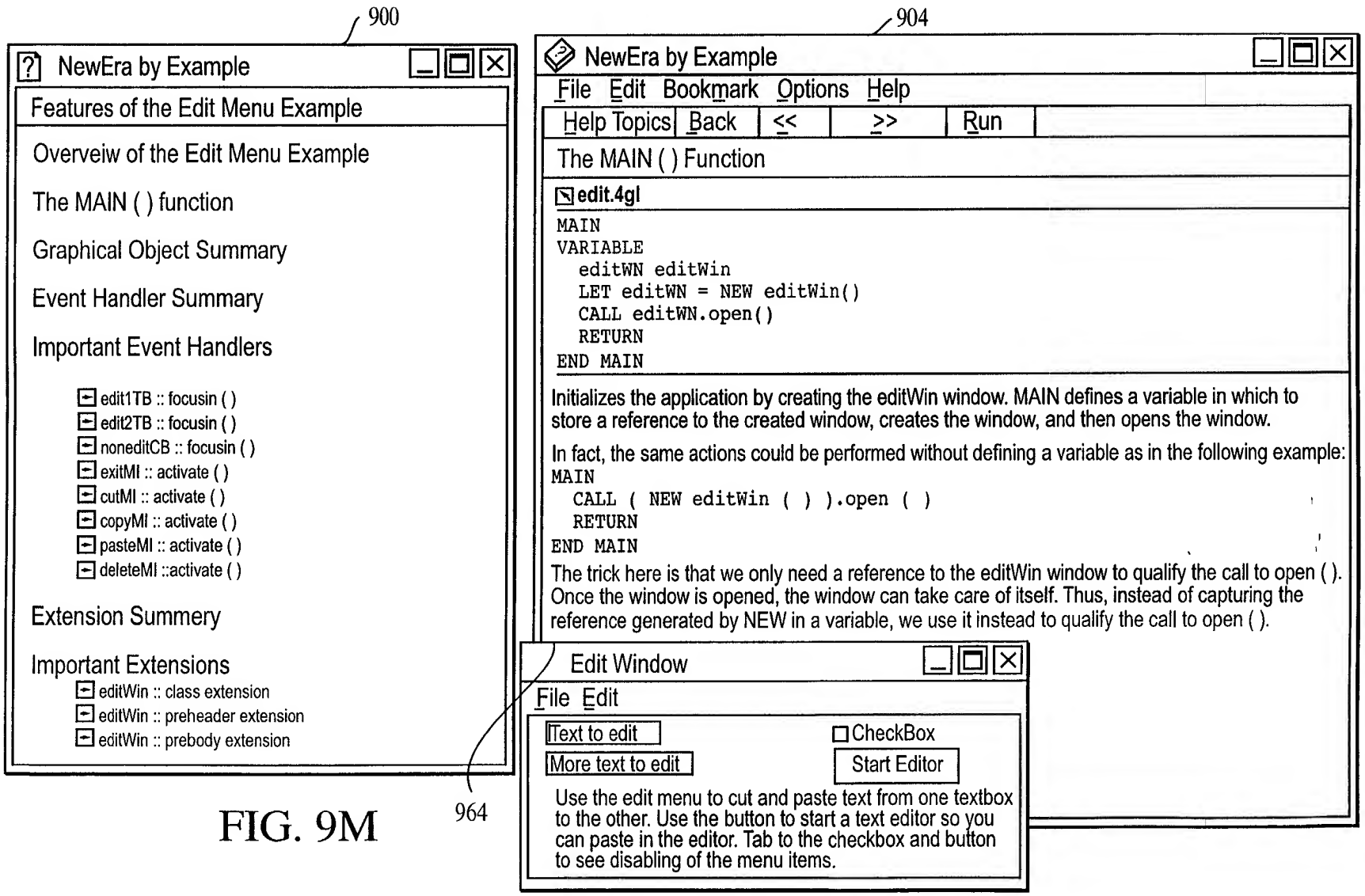
• Executing code when the user chooses a menu item.
• Executing built-in clipboard functions.
• Finding the current control in an application.
• Specifying an accelerator key for a menu item.
• Executing code when the user enters a control.
• Enabling and disabling menu items.
Source File Summary
editm.4gl
Initializes the application by creating the editWin window. The MAIN ( ) function of the application is in this file.
editw.wif
Provides a window with an edit menu and some demonstration text boxes.

FIG. 9L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edit.4gl
MAIN
VARIABLE
editWN editWin
LET editWN = NEW editWin()
CALL editWN.open()
RETURN
END MAIN
Initializes the application by creating the editWin window. MAIN defines a variable in which to store a reference to the created window, creates the window, and then opens the window.
In fact, the same actions could be performed without defining a variable as in the following example:
MAIN
CALL ( NEW editWin ( ) ).open ( )
RETURN
END MAIN
The trick here is that we only need a reference to the editWin window to qualify the call to open ( ). Once the window is opened, the window can take care of itself. Thus, instead of capturing the reference generated by NEW in a variable, we use it instead to qualify the call to open ( ).
Edit Window
File Edit
Text to edit
CheckBox
More text to edit
Start Editor
Use the edit menu to cut and paste text from one textbox to the other. Use the button to start a text editor so you can paste in the editor. Tab to the checkbox and button to see disabling of the menu items.
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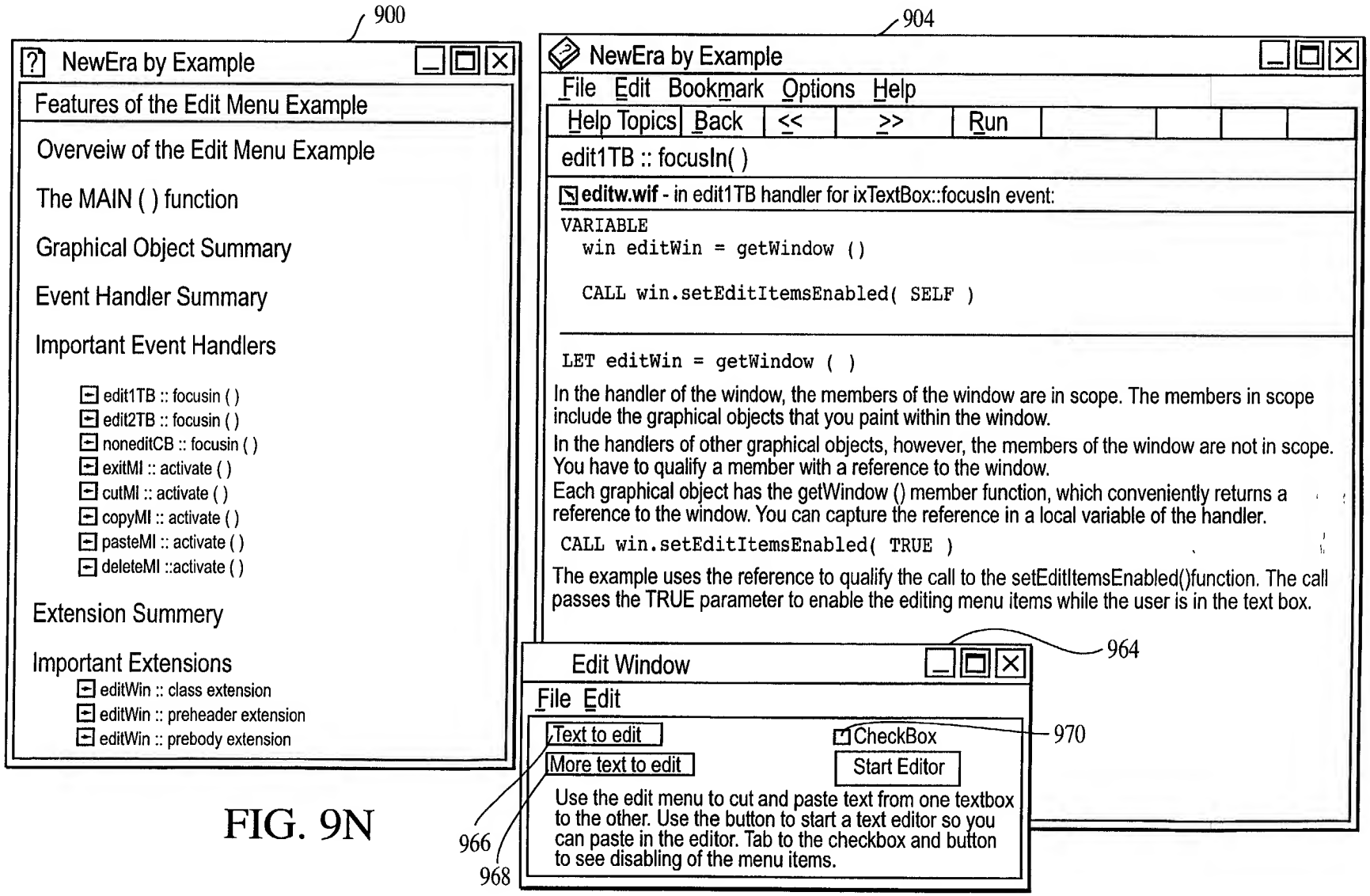
FIG. 9M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NewEra by Example
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edit1TB :: focusIn( )
editw.wif - in edit1TB handler for ixTextBox::focusIn event:
VARIABLE
win editWin = getWindow ()
CALL win.setEditItemsEnabled( SELF )
LET editWin = getWindow ( )
In the handler of the window, the members of the window are in scope. The members in scope include the graphical objects that you paint within the window.
In the handlers of other graphical objects, however, the members of the window are not in scope. You have to qualify a member with a reference to the window.
Each graphical object has the getWindow () member function, which conveniently returns a reference to the window. You can capture the reference in a local variable of the handler.
CALL win.setEditItemsEnabled( TRUE )
The example uses the reference to qualify the call to the setEditItemsEnabled()function. The call passes the TRUE parameter to enable the editing menu items while the user is in the text box.
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Edit Window
File Edit
Text to edit
More text to edit
CheckBox
Start Editor
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Use the edit menu to cut and paste text from one textbox to the other. Use the button to start a text editor so you can paste in the editor. Tab to the checkbox and button to see disabling of the menu items.
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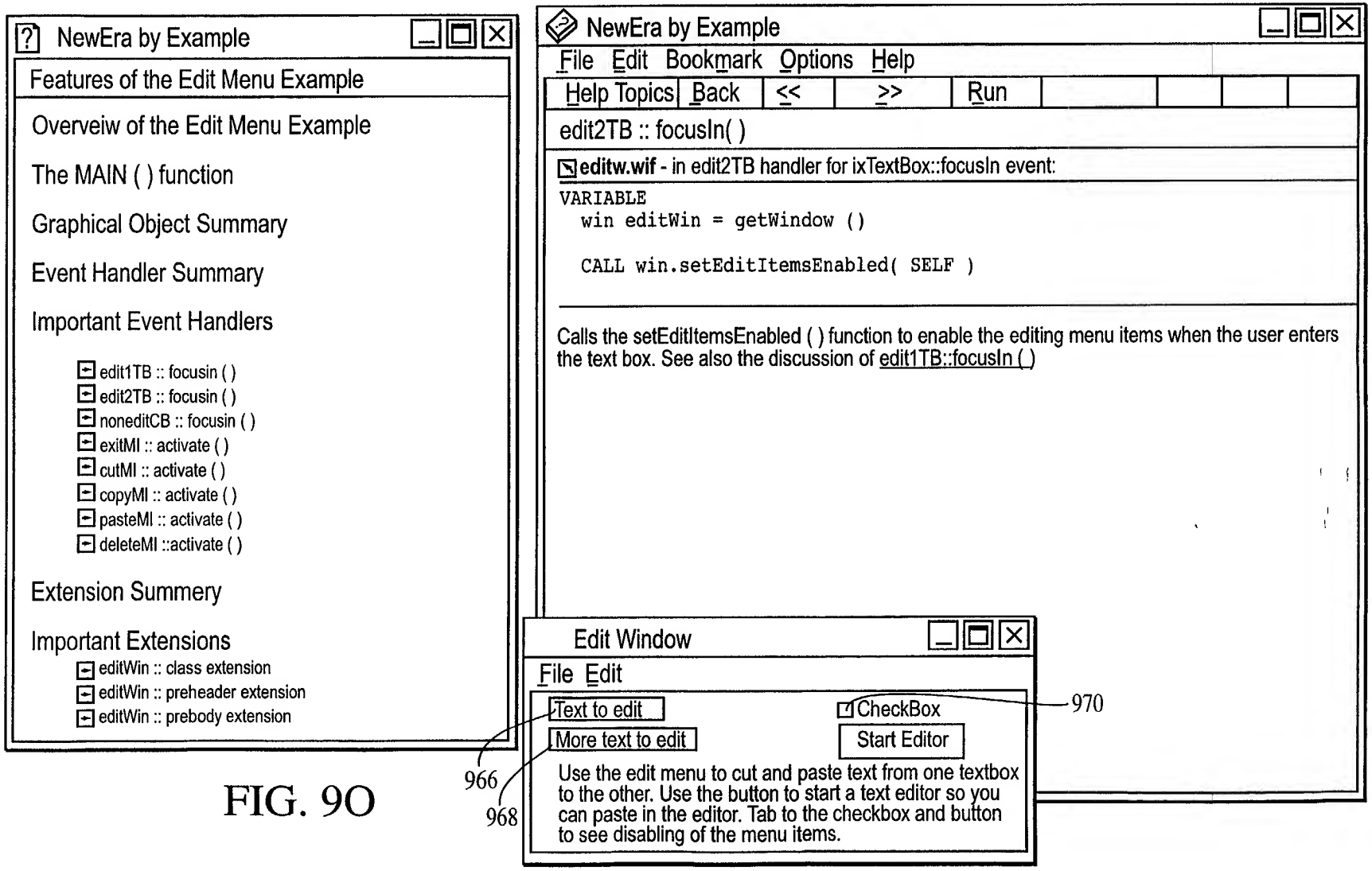
FIG. 9N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Important Event Handlers
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edit2TB :: focusin ( )
noneditCB :: focusin ( )
exitMI :: activate ( )
cutMI :: activate ( )
copyMI :: activate ( )
pasteMI :: activate ( )
deleteMI ::activate ( )
Extension Summery
Important Extensions
editWin :: class extension
editWin :: preheader extension
editWin :: prebody extension
NewEra by Example
File Edit Bookmark Options Help
Help Topics Back << >> Run
edit2TB :: focusIn( )
editw.wif - in edit2TB handler for ixTextBox::focusIn event:
VARIABLE
win editWin = getWindow ()
CALL win.setEditItemsEnabled( SELF )
Calls the setEditItemsEnabled ( ) function to enable the editing menu items when the user enters the text box. See also the discussion of edit1TB::focusIn ( )
Edit Window
File Edit
Text to edit
More text to edit
CheckBox
Start Editor
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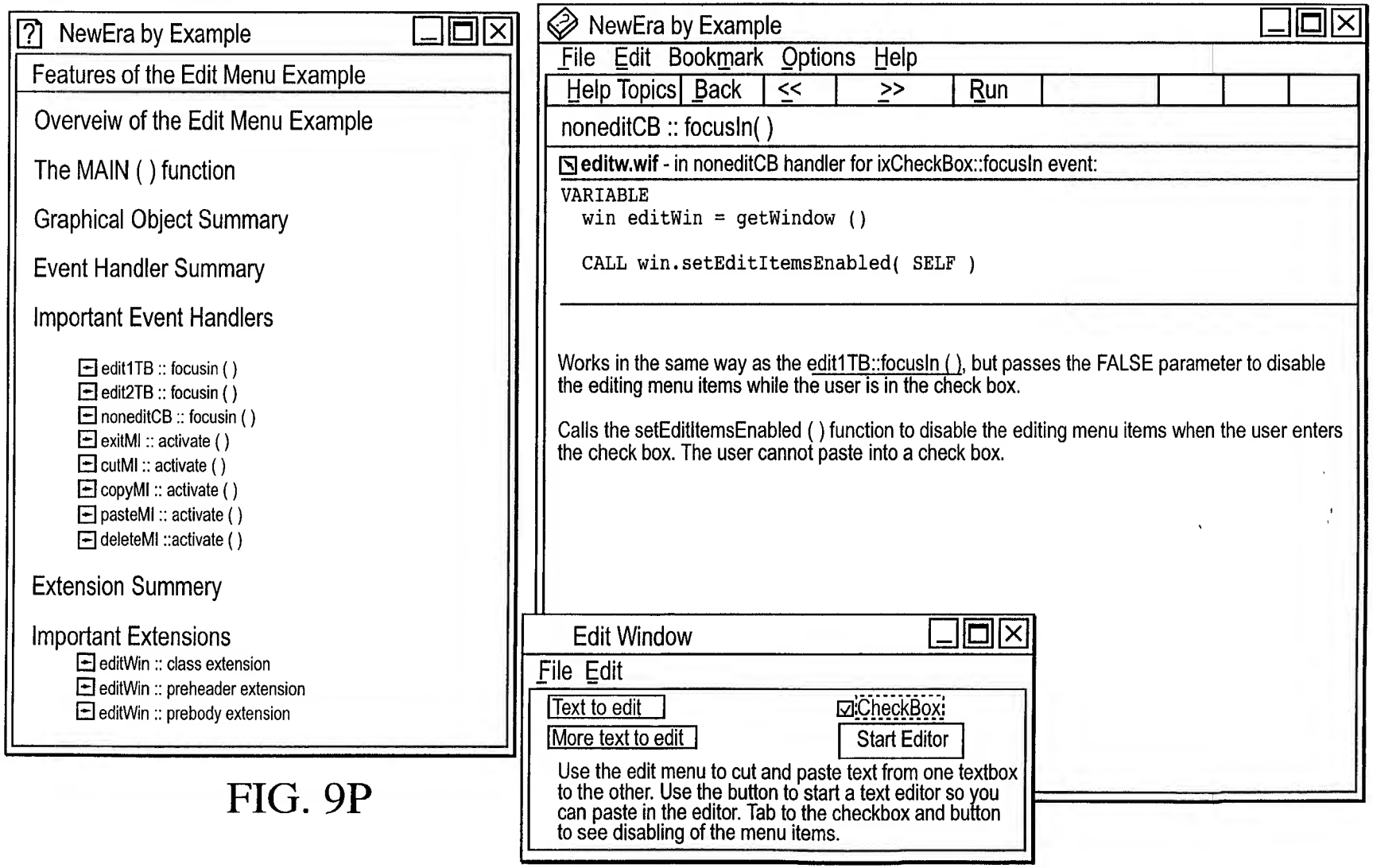
Use the edit menu to cut and paste text from one textbox to the other. Use the button to start a text editor so you can paste in the editor. Tab to the checkbox and button to see disabling of the menu items.

FIG. 9O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edit1TB :: focusin ( )
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pasteMI :: activate ( )
deleteMI ::activate ( )
Extension Summery
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editWin :: class extension
editWin :: preheader extension
editWin :: prebody extension
NewEra by Example
File Edit Bookmark Options Help
Help Topics Back << >> Run
noneditCB :: focusIn( )
editw.wif - in noneditCB handler for ixCheckBox::focusIn event:
VARIABLE
win editWin = getWindow ()
CALL win.setEditItemsEnabled( SELF )
Works in the same way as the edit1TB::focusIn ( ), but passes the FALSE parameter to disable the editing menu items while the user is in the check box.
Calls the setEditItemsEnabled ( ) function to disable the editing menu items when the user enters the check box. The user cannot paste into a check box.
Edit Window
File Edit
Text to edit
CheckBox
More text to edit
Start Editor
Use the edit menu to cut and paste text from one textbox to the other. Use the button to start a text editor so you can paste in the editor. Tab to the checkbox and button to see disabling of the menu items.

FIG. 9P

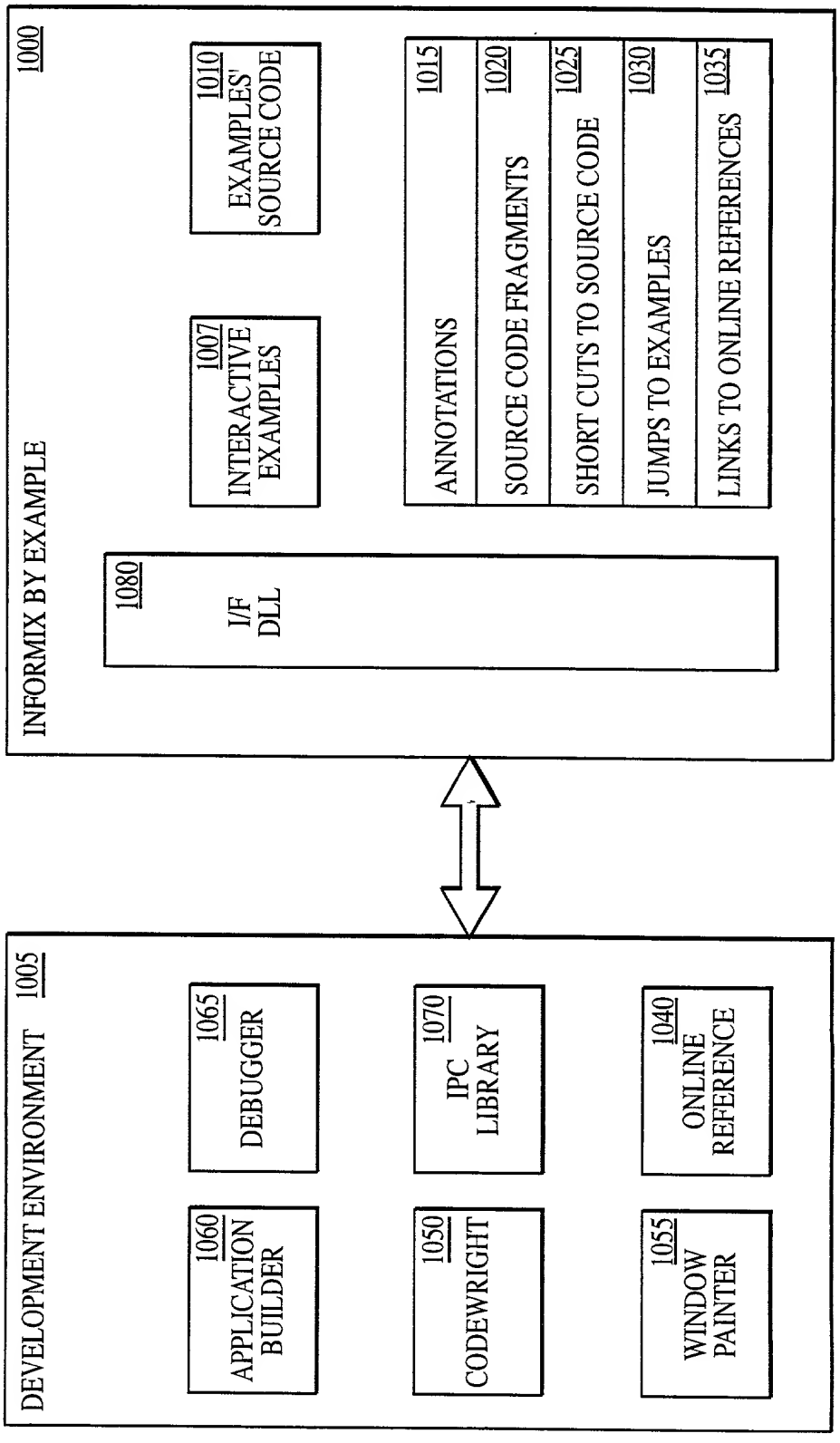
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FIG. 10

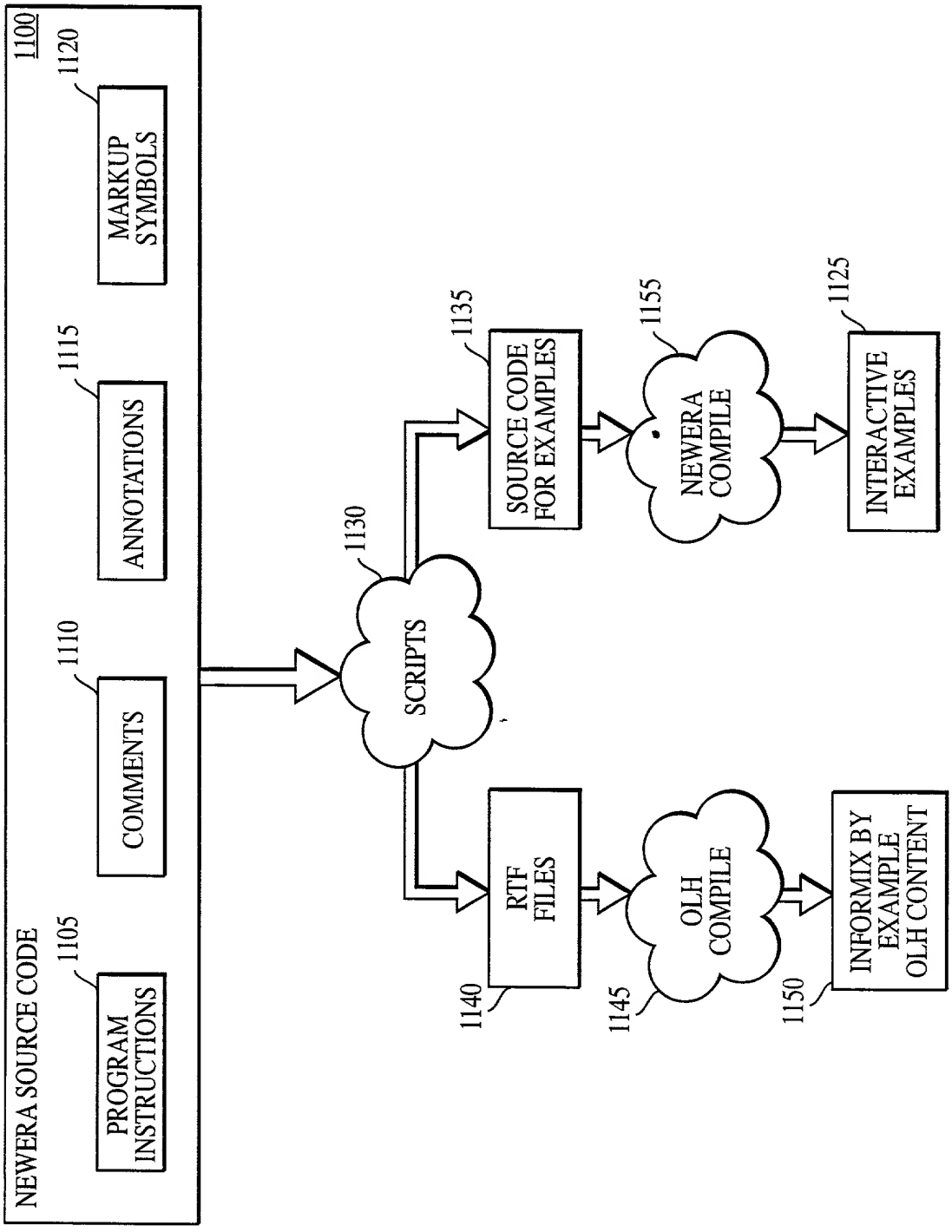
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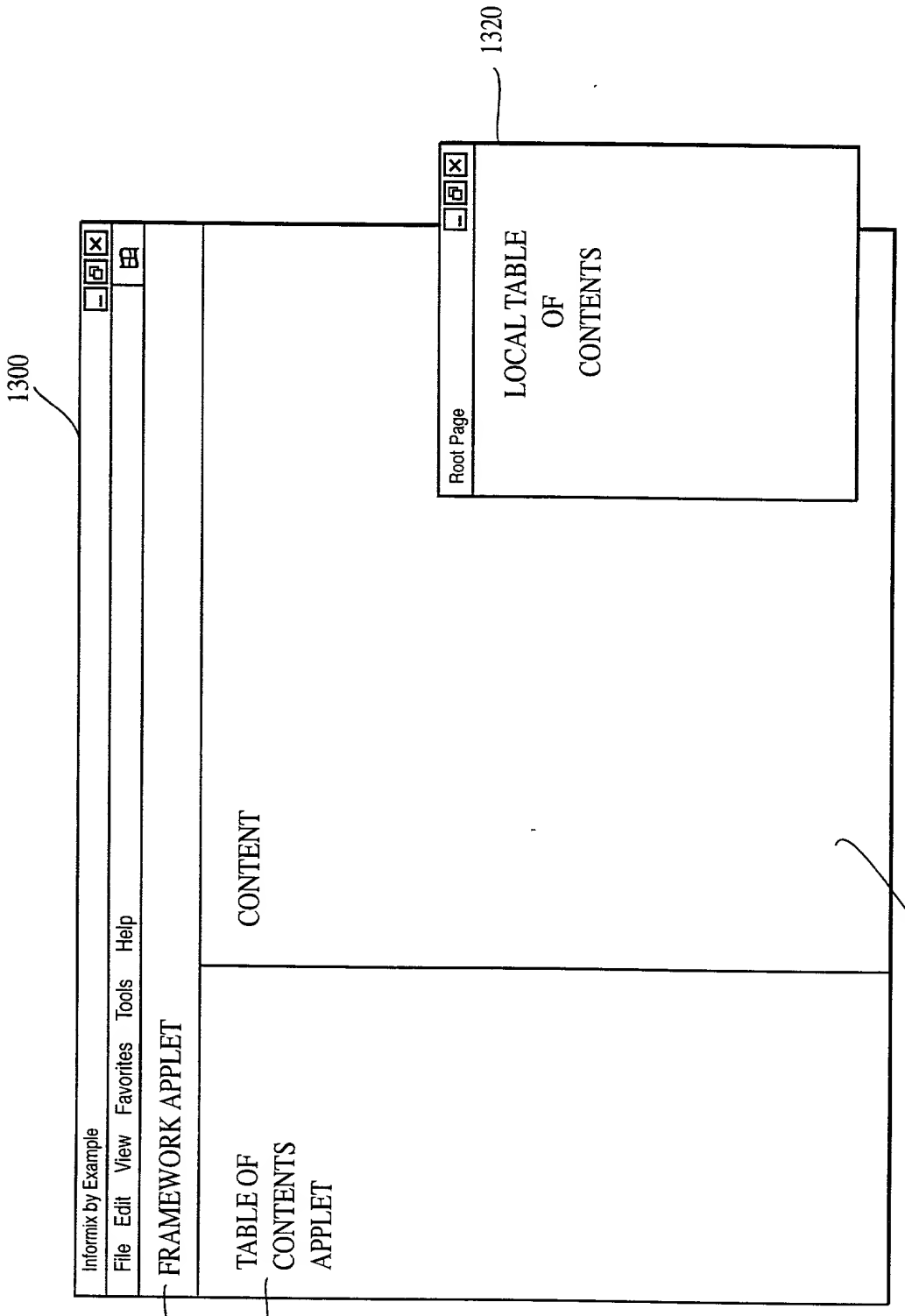
FIG. 11

```
    FUNCTION driveStockRpt( destType SMALLINT, destName CHAR(*) )
1200 RETURNING VOID
    {.normal
    Since objects, in particular ixRow objects, cannot be passed
    as arguments to the report formatter, rows of fetched data will
    be unpacked into a record that matches the data types and lengths
    of elements in the fetched rows.
    }
    VARIABLE
         stockRec RECORD
              mn CHAR(15),     -- manufact.manu_name
              sn SMALLINT,     -- stock.stock_num
              sd CHAR(15),     -- stock.description
              sp MONEY(6,2),   -- stock.unit_price
              su CHAR(4)       -- stock.unit
              END RECORD

         stockStmt ixSQLStmt,
         stmtString CHAR(*),
         stockRow ixRow,

         errorCode INTEGER,
         logFile ixErrorLog
1205
    {.normal
    Use the implicit connection object to create an SQL statement
    object. The connection object must already be connected to a
    database.
    Checking the status of the prepare( ) call will confirm this.
1210 }
    {.[edit stmt}
    LET stockStmt =
    ixSQLConnect::getImplicitConnection().createStmtObject()
    {.]file stmt}
 1215
```

FIG. 12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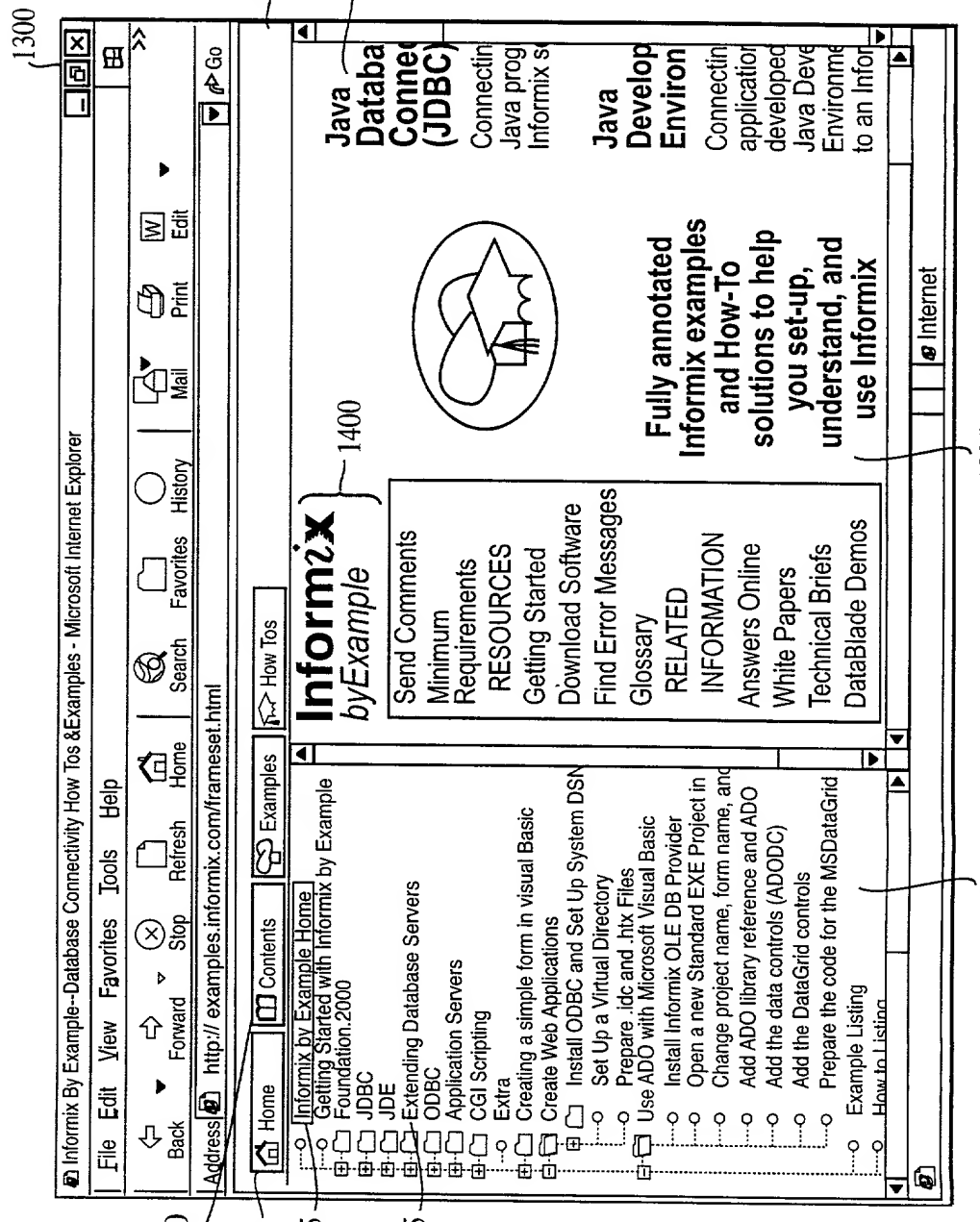
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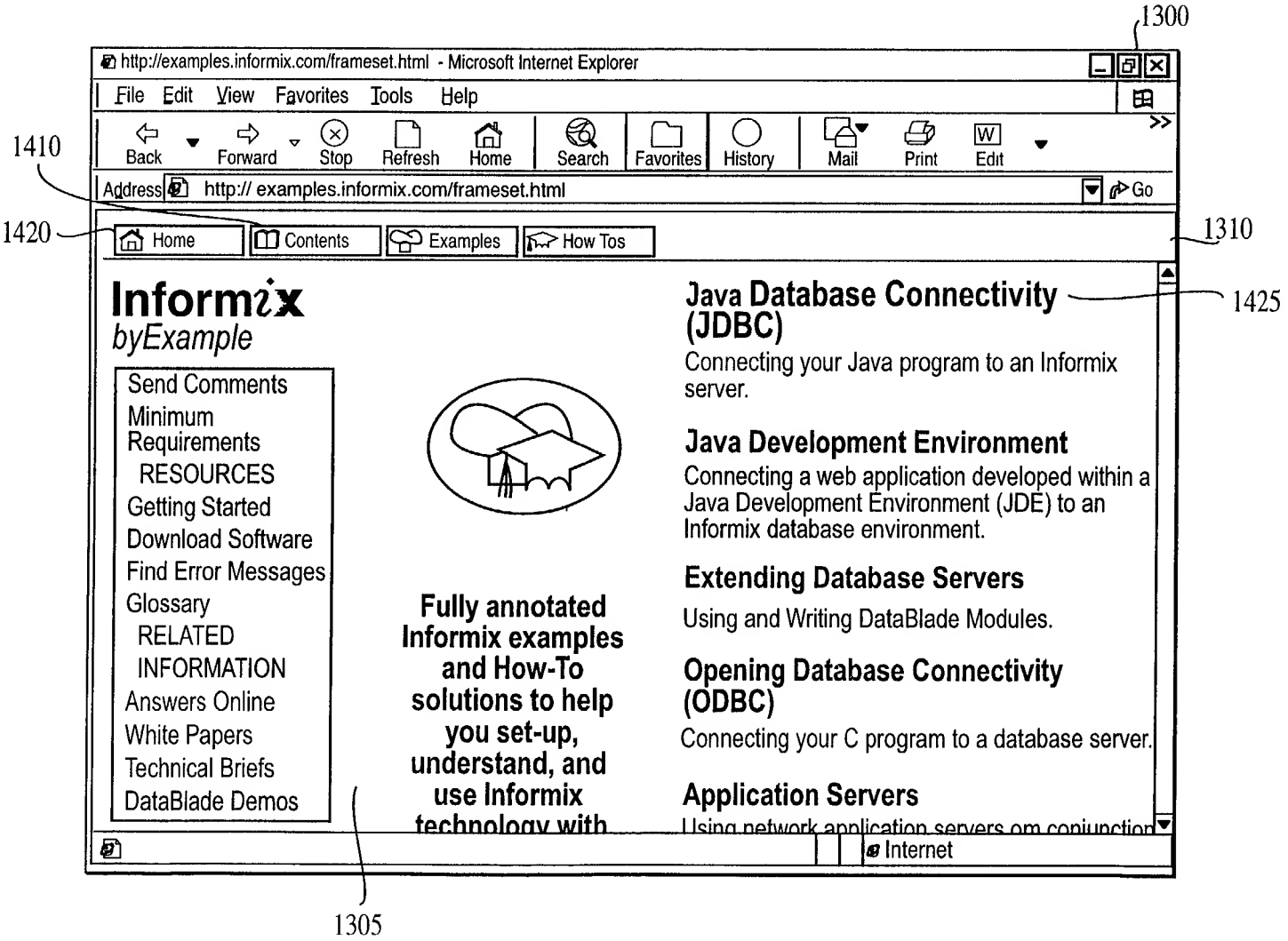
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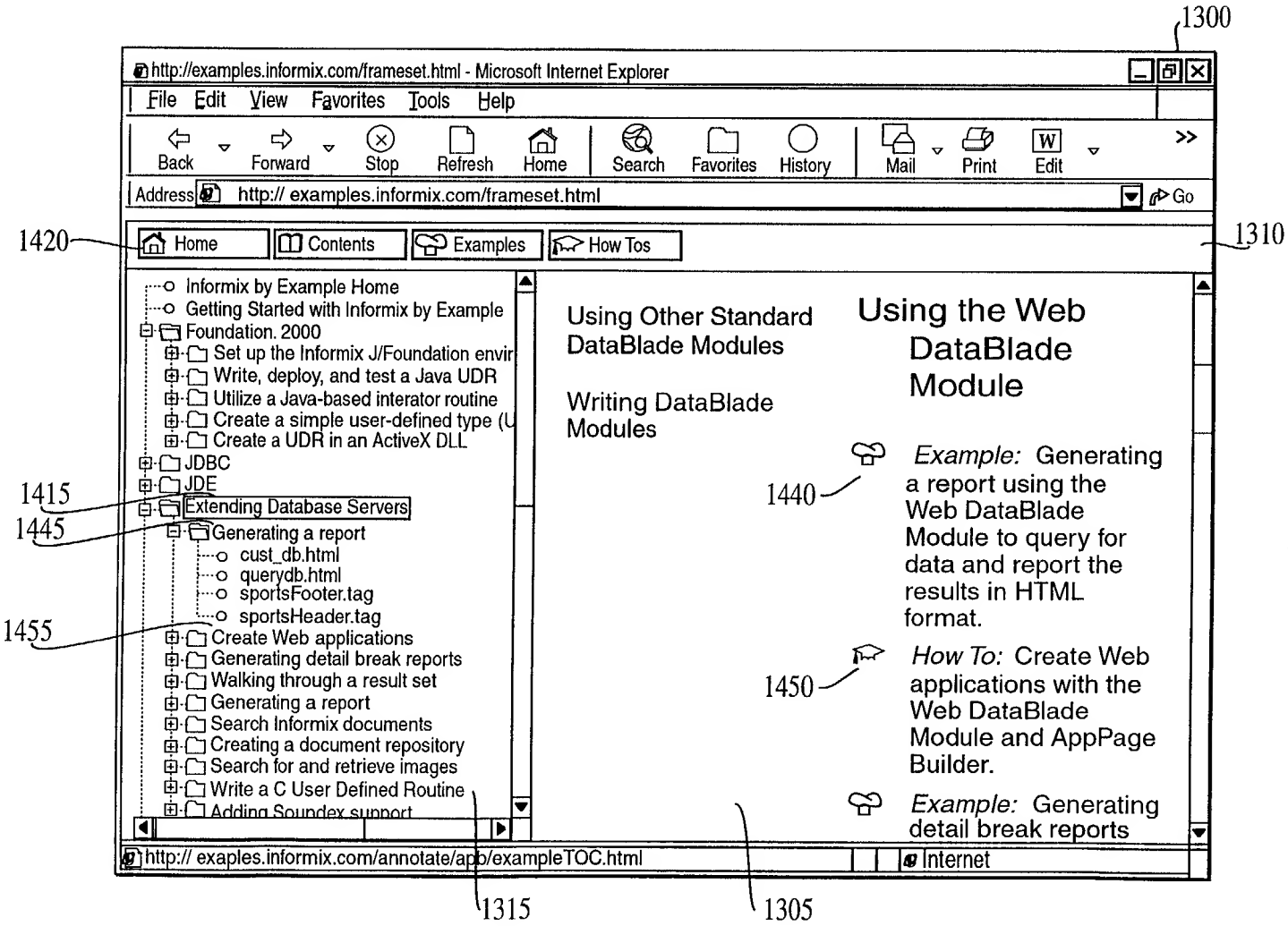
FIG. 14B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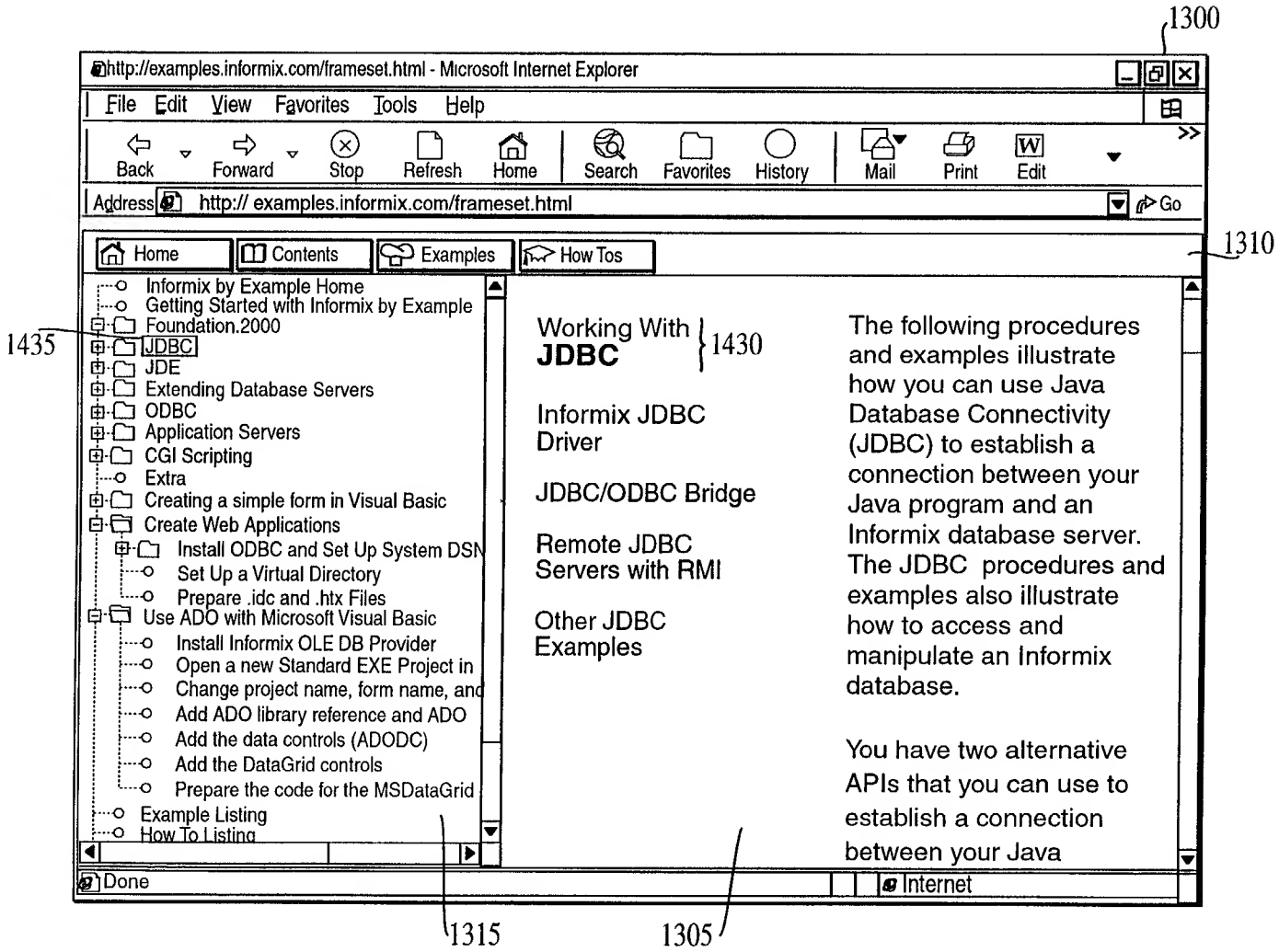
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The following procedures and examples illustrate how you can use Java Database Connectivity (JDBC) to establish a connection between your Java program and an Informix database server. The JDBC procedures and examples also illustrate how to access and manipulate an Informix database.
You have two alternative APIs that you can use to establish a connection between your Java
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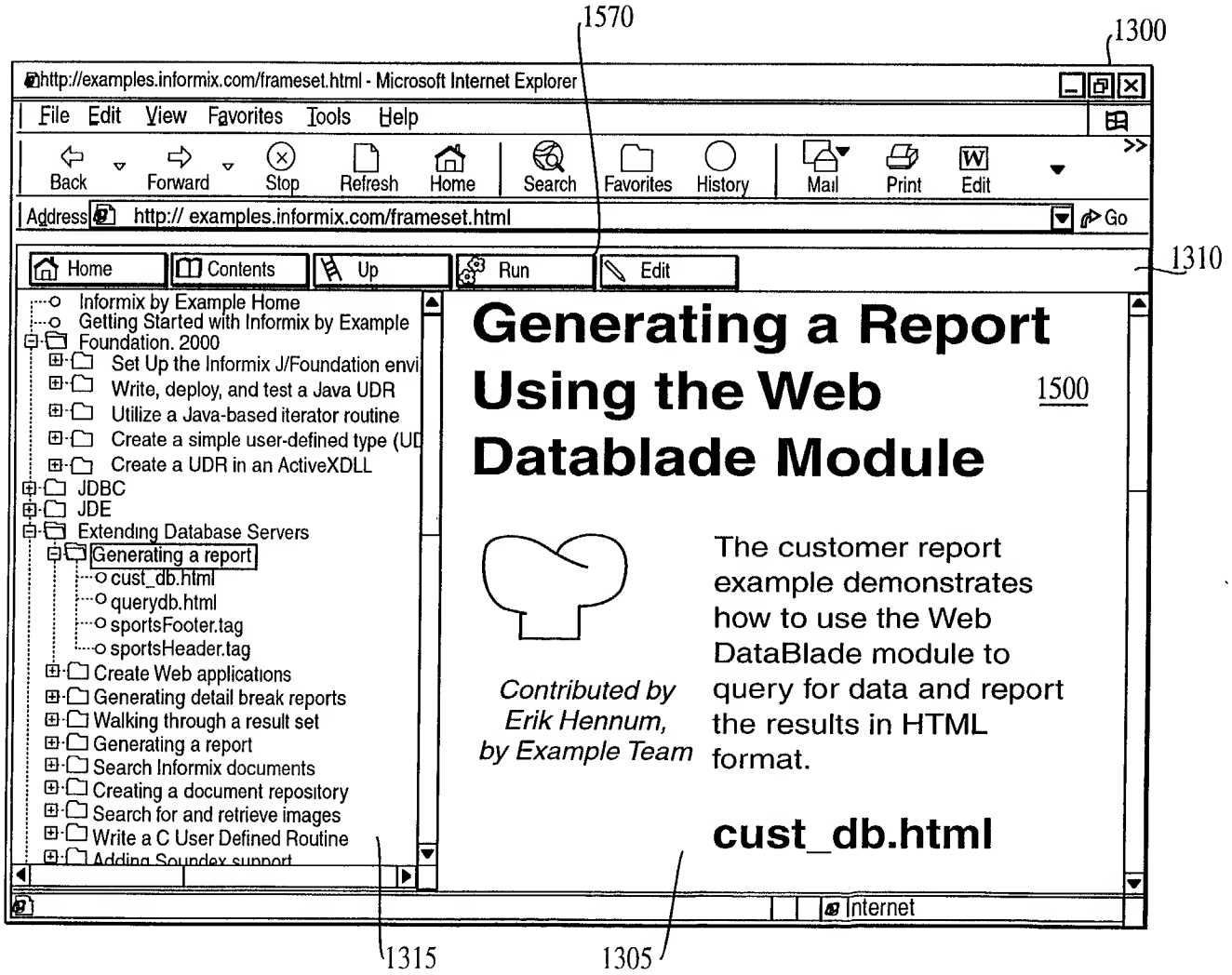
FIG. 14D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Contributed by Erik Hennum, by Example Team
The customer report example demonstrates how to use the Web DataBlade module to query for data and report the results in HTML format.
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FIG. 15A

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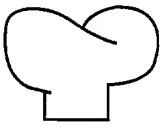
# Generating a Report Using the Web Datablade Module



*Contributed by Erik Hennum, byExample Team*

The customer report example demonstrates how to use the Web DataBlade module to query for data and report the results in HTML format. —1505

cust_db.html —1510

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This app page accepts a query and generates an HTML report

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querydb.html —1510

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This HTML page contains a form that invokes an app page

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sportsFooter.tag —1510

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The sportsFooter dynamic tag generates the footer for an app page.

sportsHeader.tag —1510

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The sportsHeader dynamic tag generates the header for an app page.

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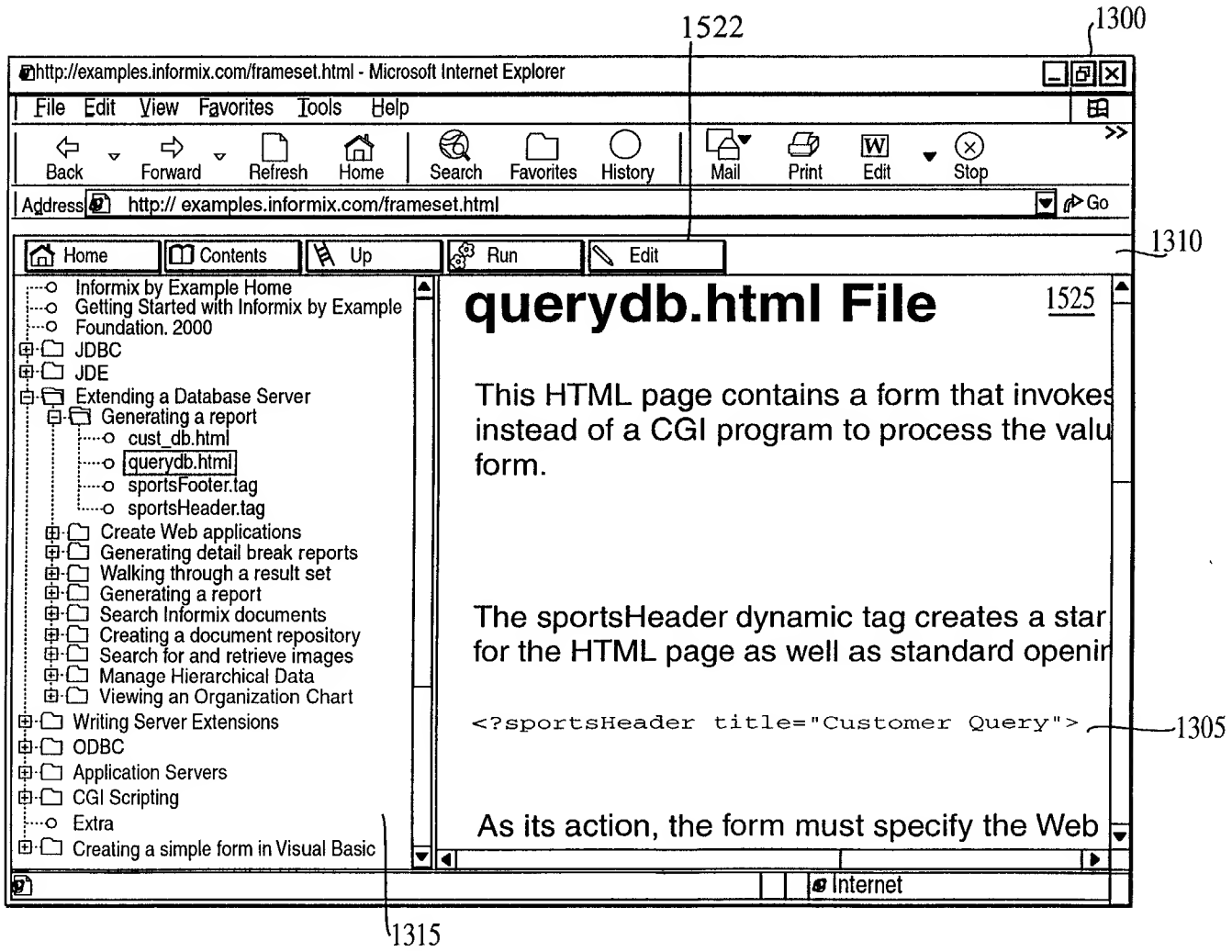
FIG. 15B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This HTML page contains a form that invokes
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form.
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for the HTML page as well as standard openir
<?sportsHeader title="Customer Query">
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As its action, the form must specify the Web
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FIG. 15C

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## querydb.html File

This HTML page contains a form that invokes an app page instead of a CGI program to process the values in the form.

The sportsHeader dynamic tag creates a standard header for the HTML page as well as standard opening text. } 1535

```
<?sportsHeader title="Customer Query"> } 1530
```

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As its action, the form must specify the Web Driver utility.

```
<P>
<FORM ACTION ="<?MIVAR>$WEB_HOME<?/MIVAR"METHOD="GET"> } 1530
```

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To specify the app page, the form must use a hidden input component. The input component must have a name of **MIval** and a value that's the name of the app page. The input component below specifies the cust_db.html app page. } 1535

```
<INPUT TYPE="HIDDEN" NAME="MIval" VALUE="/examples/CustRpt/cust_db.html">

Optional state:
<INPUT TYPE="TEXT" NAME="SelectState" SIZE="3" MAXLENGTH="2">
<INPUT TYPE="SUBMIT" NAME="SUBMIT" VALUE="SUBMIT">

</FORM>
</P>


</BODY>
</HTML>
```

} 1530

FIG. 15D

querydb.html

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```
<!--<ibyx>
<intro>
<p><abstract>This HTML page contains a form that invokes
an app page</abstract> instead of a CGI program to process
the values in the form.
</p>
</intro>
</ibyx> -- >

<!-- <ibyx>
<p> The sportsHeader dynamic tag creates a standard header
for the HTML page as well as standard opening text.
</p>
</ibyx> -->
<?sportsHeader title="Customer Query">

<!-- <ibyx>
<p> As its action, the form must specify the Web Driver utility.
</p>
</ibyx>-->
<P>
<FORM ACTION="<?MIVAR>$WEB_HOME<?/MIVAR>" METHOD="GET">

<!-- <ibyx>
<p> To specify the app page, the form must use a hidden input component.
The input component must have a name of <strong>MIval</strong> and
a value that's the name of the app page. The input component below
specifies the <a href="cust_db.html">cust_db.html</a> app page.
</p>
</ibyx> -->
<INPUT TYPE="HIDDEN" NAME="MIval" VALUE="/examples/CustRpt/cust_db.html">

Optional state:
<INPUT TYPE="TEXT" NAME="selectState" SIZE="3" MAXLENGTH="2">
<INPUT TYPE="SUBMIT" NAME="Submit" VALUE="Submit">

</FORM>
</P>

<?annotate>

</BODY>
</HTML>
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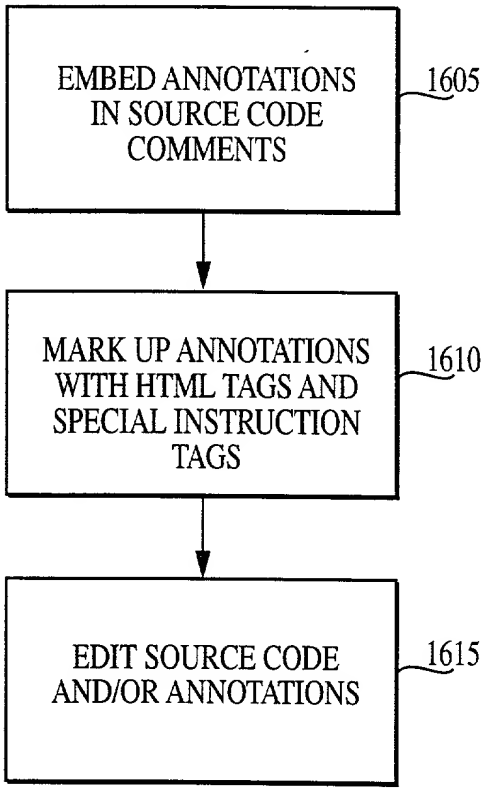
FIG. 15E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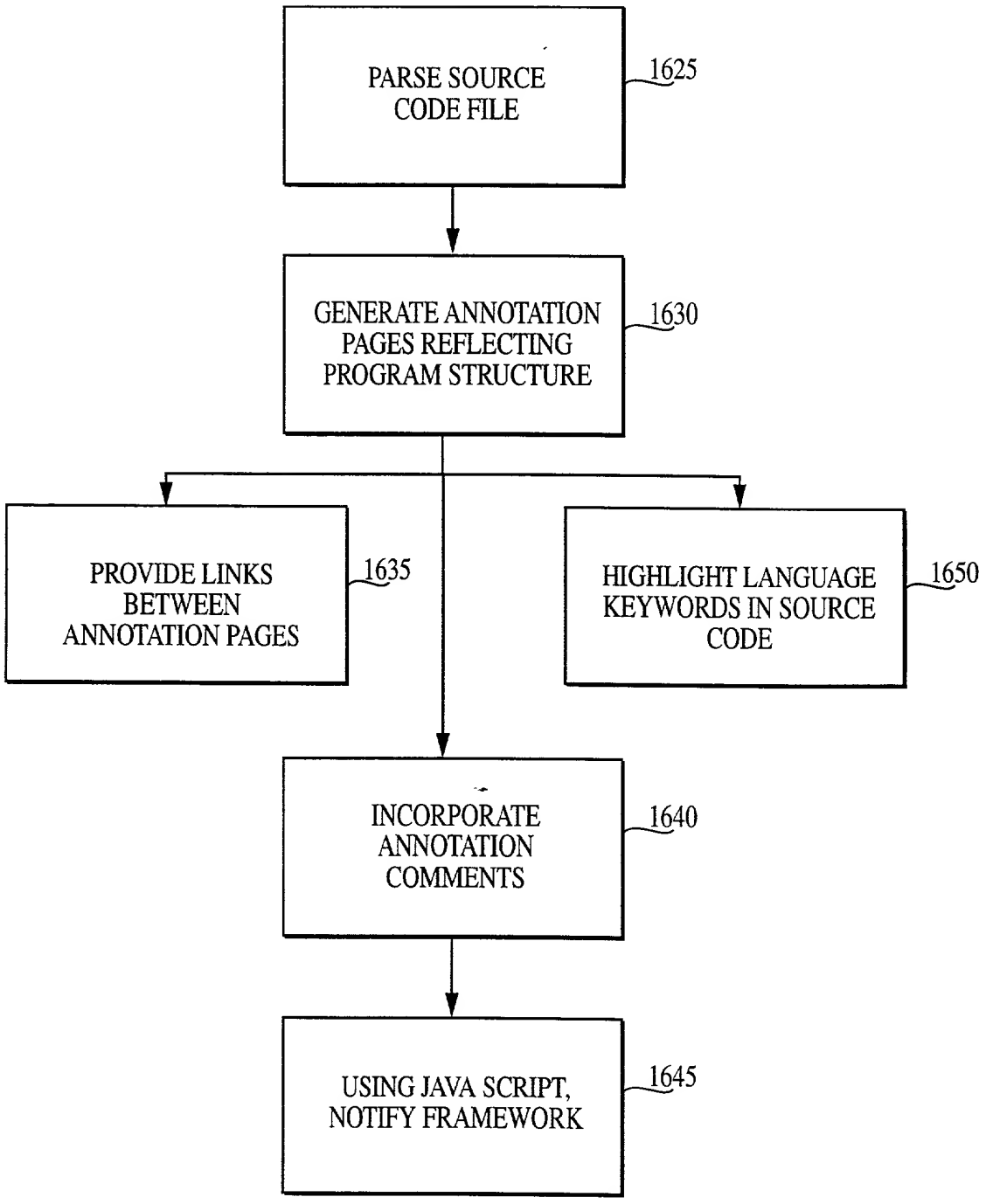
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FIG. 16B

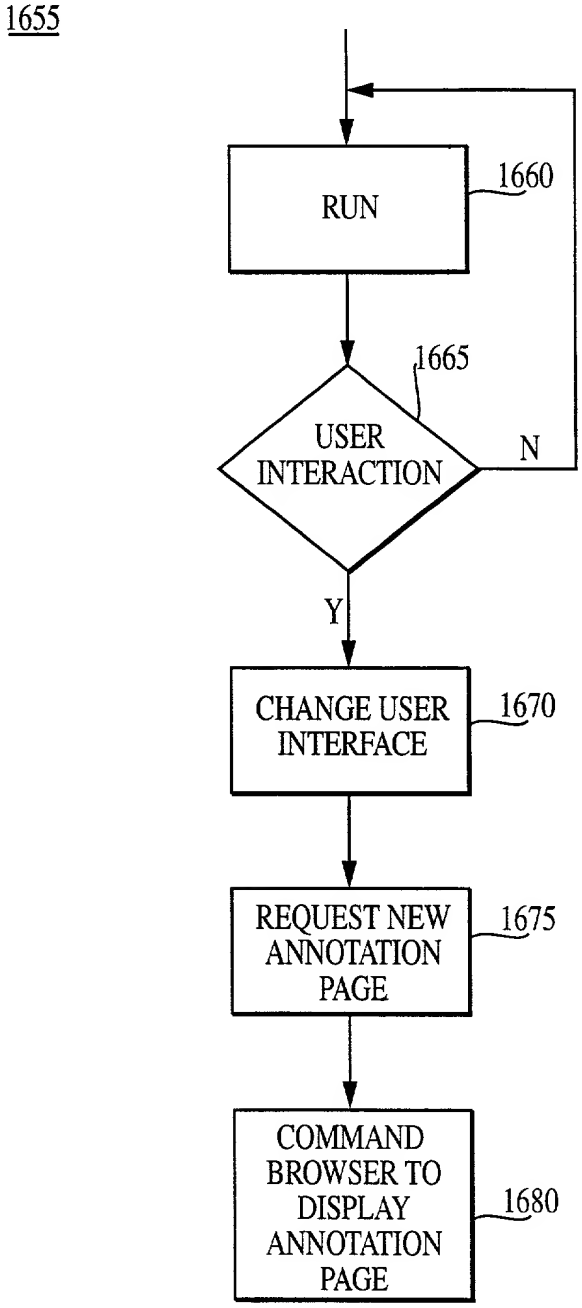
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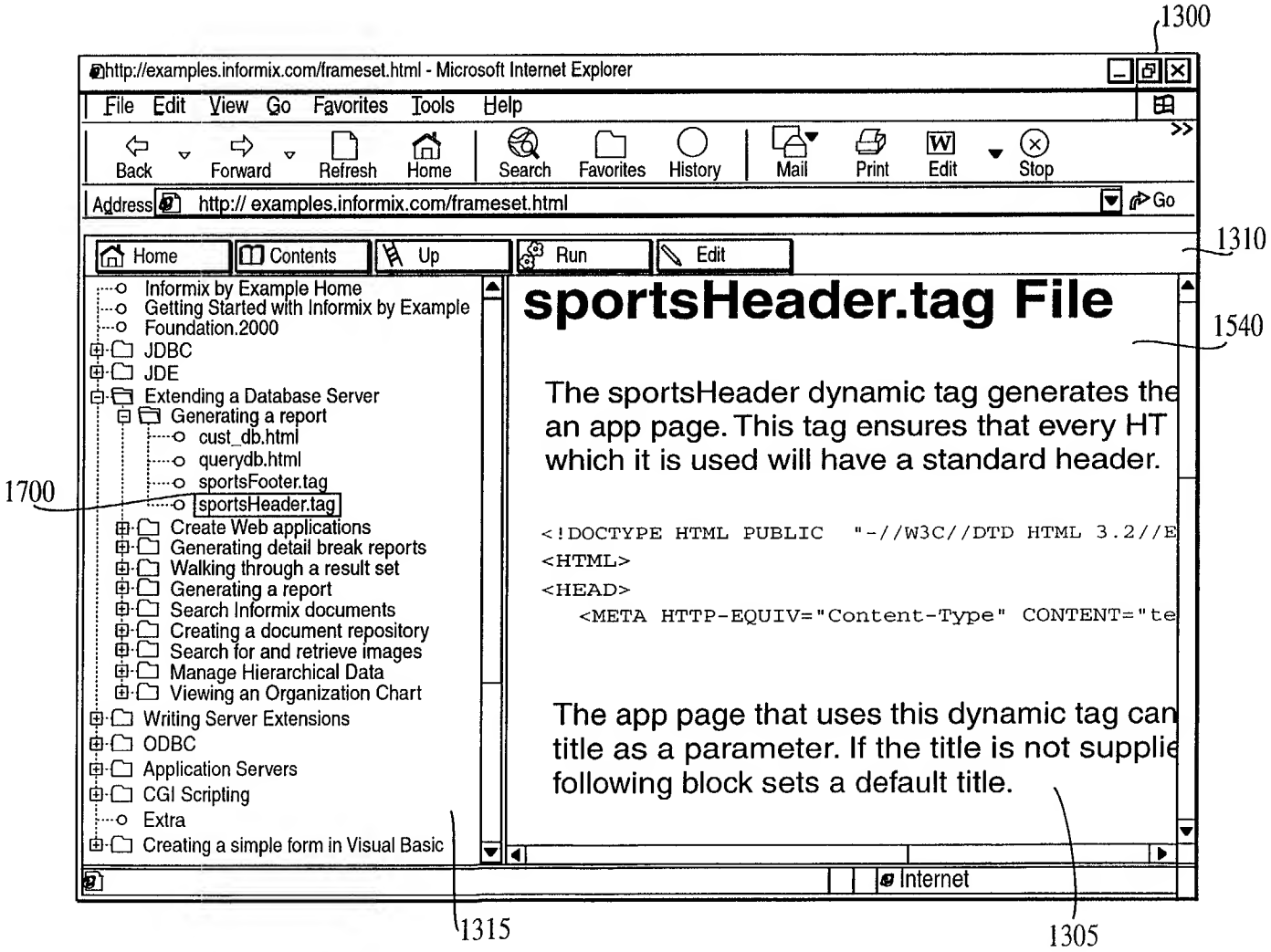
FIG. 16C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The sportsHeader dynamic tag generates the
an app page. This tag ensures that every HT
which it is used will have a standard header.
<!DOCTYPE HTML PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 3.2//E
<HTML>
<HEAD>
<META HTTP-EQUIV="Content-Type" CONTENT="te
The app page that uses this dynamic tag can
title as a parameter. If the title is not supplie
following block sets a default title.
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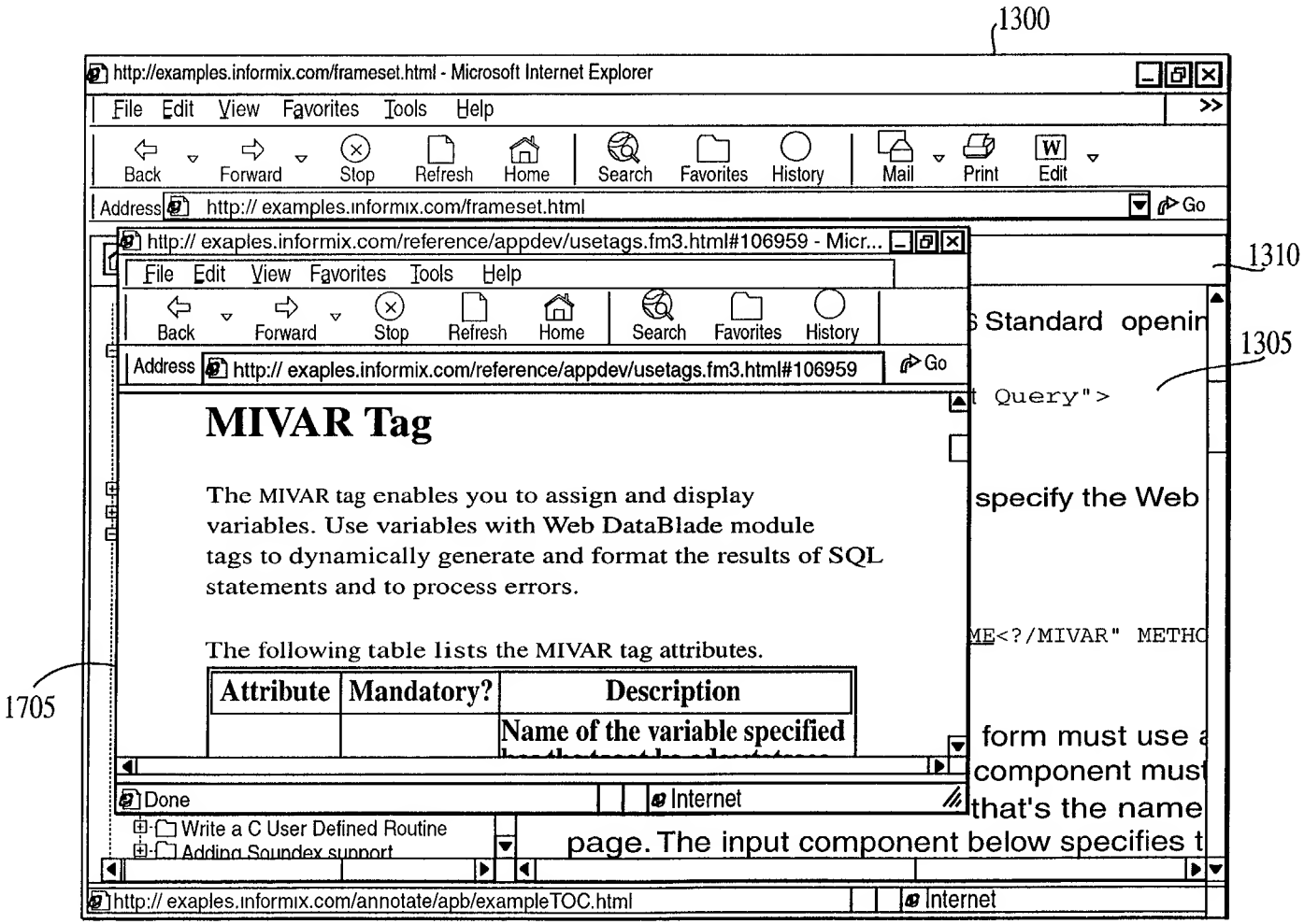
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MIVAR Tag
The MIVAR tag enables you to assign and display variables. Use variables with Web DataBlade module tags to dynamically generate and format the results of SQL statements and to process errors.
The following table lists the MIVAR tag attributes.
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page. The input component below specifies t

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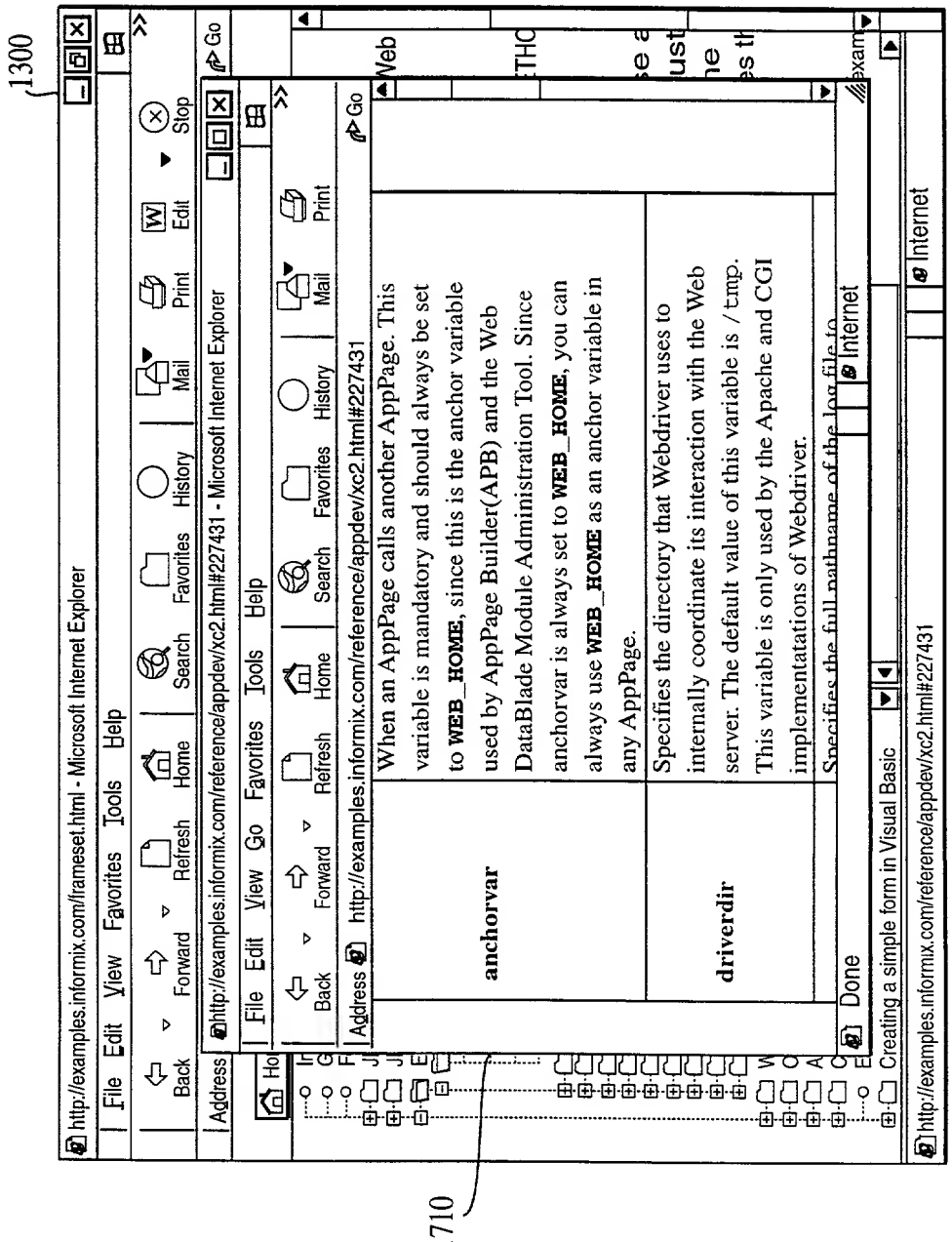
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anchorvar
When an AppPage calls another AppPage. This variable is mandatory and should always be set to WEB_HOME, since this is the anchor variable used by AppPage Builder(APB) and the Web DataBlade Module Administration Tool. Since anchorvar is always set to WEB_HOME, you can always use WEB_HOME as an anchor variable in any AppPage.
driverdir
Specifies the directory that Webdriver uses to internally coordinate its interaction with the Web server. The default value of this variable is /tmp. This variable is only used by the Apache and CGI implementatations of Webdriver.
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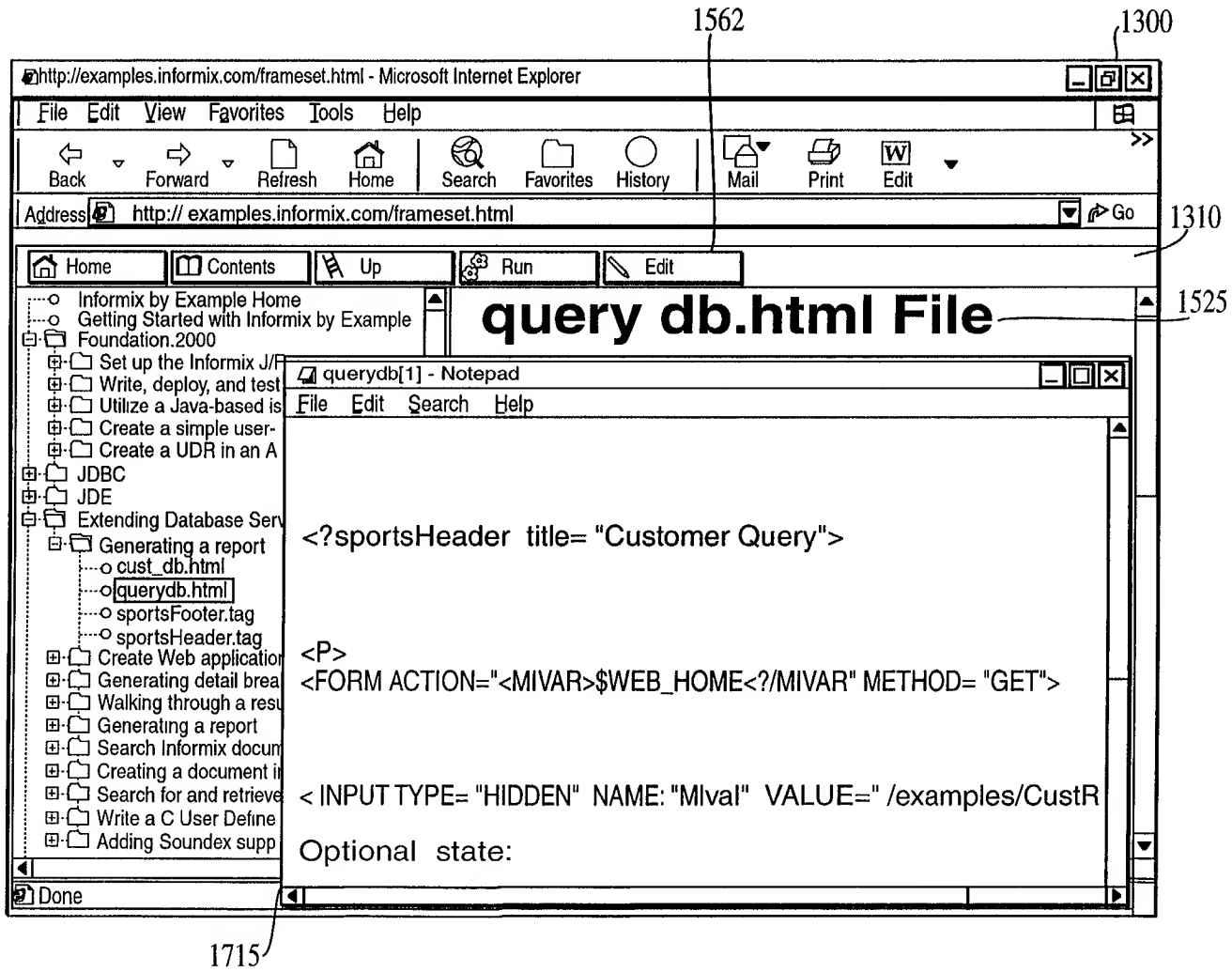
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<?sportsHeader title= "Customer Query">
<P>
<FORM ACTION="<MIVAR>$WEB_HOME<?/MIVAR" METHOD= "GET">
< INPUT TYPE= "HIDDEN" NAME: "MIval" VALUE=" /examples/CustR
Optional state:
Done
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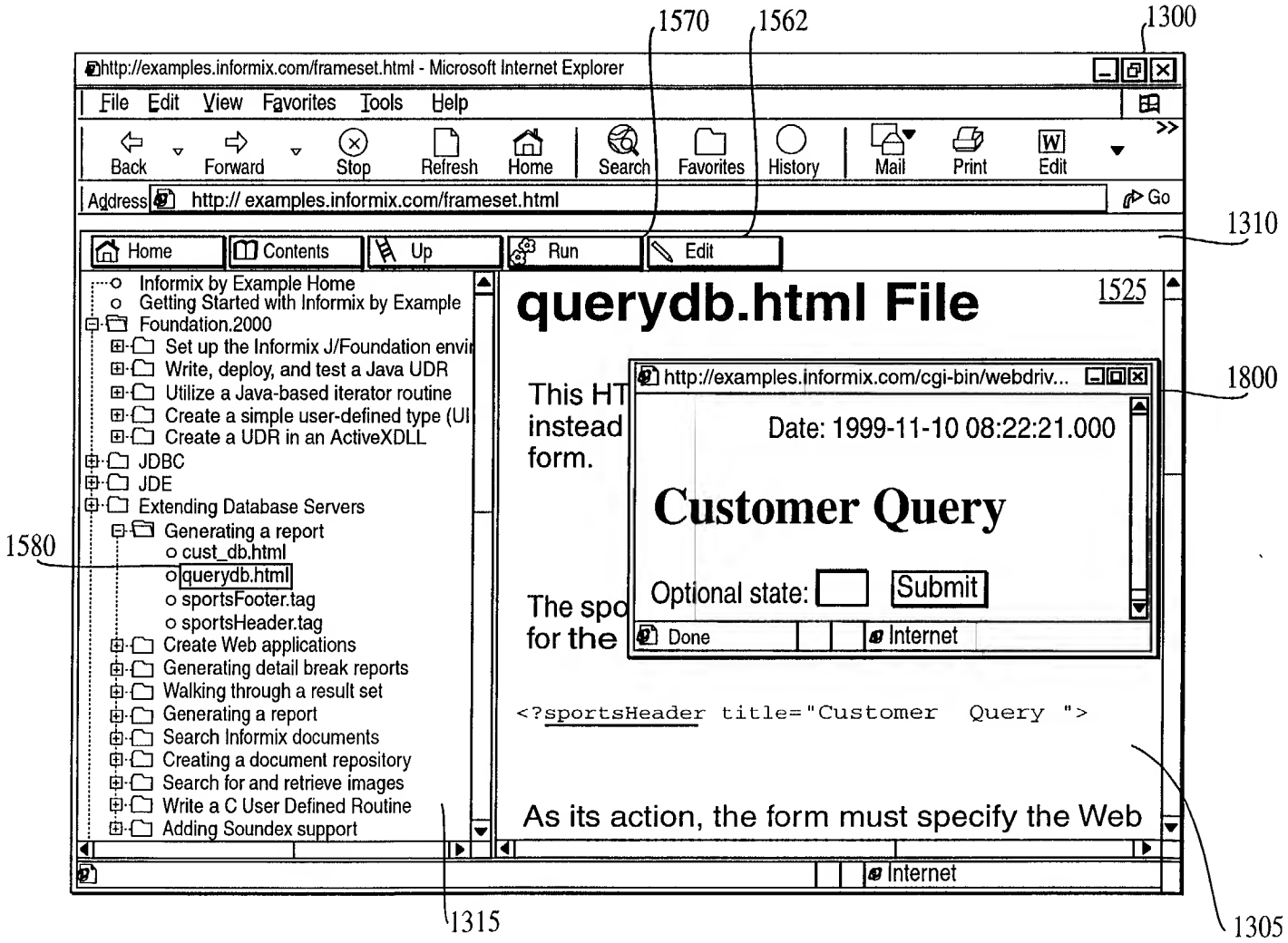
FIG. 17D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Date: 1999-11-10 08:22:21.000
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<?sportsHeader title="Customer Query ">
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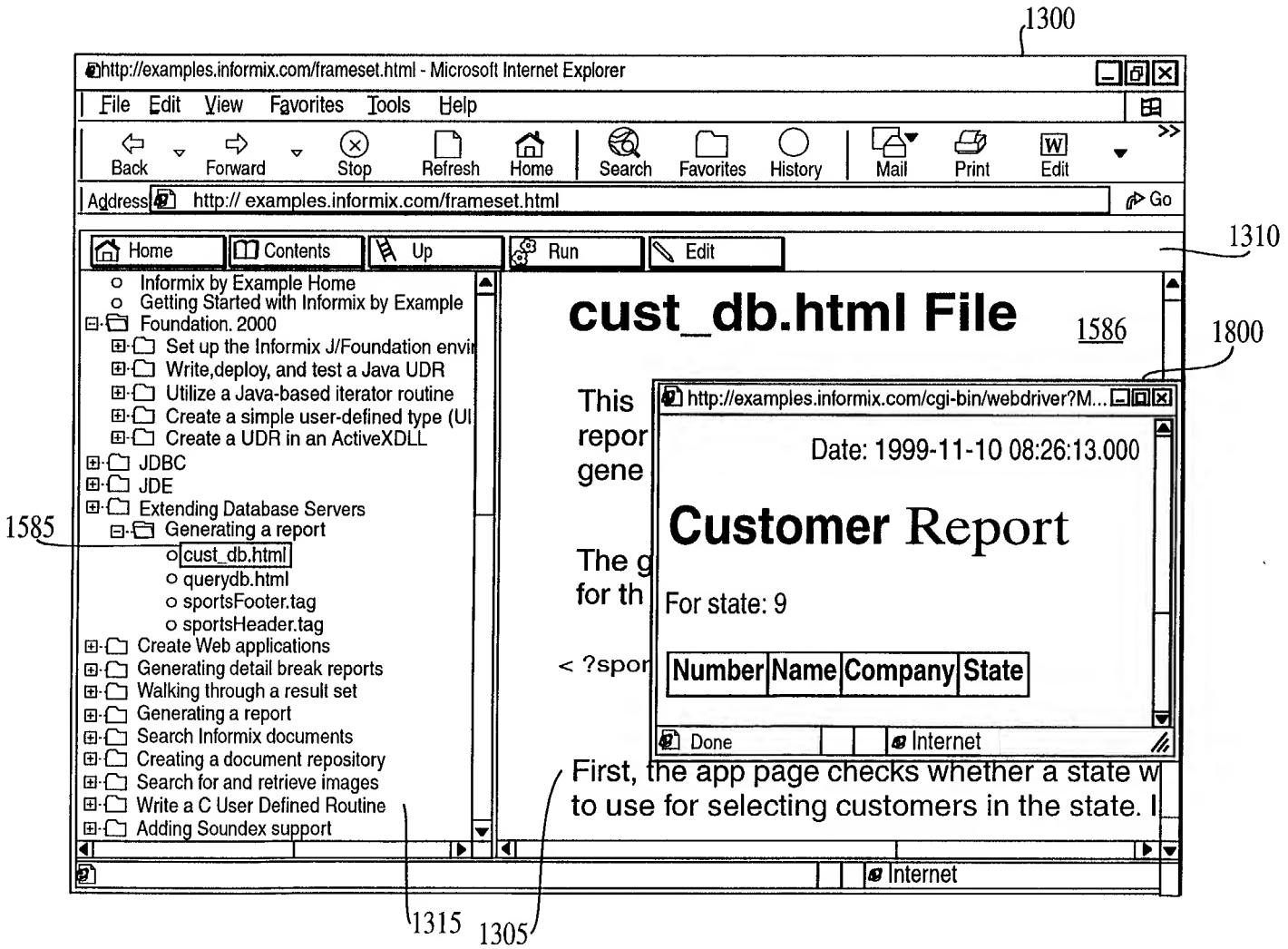
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Date: 1999-11-10 08:26:13.000
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For state: 9
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First, the app page checks whether a state w
to use for selecting customers in the state. I
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FIG. 18B

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<! - - <ibyx>
<intro>
<p> <abstract>This app page accepts a query and generates an HTML
report</abstract > in response.
The app page uses dynamic tags to generate the header and footer for the
HTML report.
</p>
</intro>
</ibyx> - - >
<! - - <ibyx>
<p> The sportsHeader dynamic tag creates a standard header
for the HTML page as well as standard opening text.
</p>
</ibyx> - ->
<?sportsHeader title="Customer Report">

<! - - <ibyx>
<p> First, the app page checks whether a state was specified to use for
selecting customers in the state. If so, the block generates a
paragraph to identify the state.
</p>
</ibyx> - - >
<?MIVAR NAME=$WHERE_STR><?/MIVAR>
<?MIBLOCK COND="$(AND,$(XST,$selectState) ,  $ (<,0,$ (STRLEN, $selectState)))">
        <?MIVAR NAME= $WHERE_STR>WHERE state= ' $selectState'<?/MIVAR>
        <?MIVAR><P>For state: $selectState</P><?/MIVAR>
<?/MIBLOCK>

<! - - <ibyx>
<p>Next,  the app page starts the table that will contain the data.
</p>
</ibyx> - ->
        <P><TABLE BORDER="1">
                <TR>
                <TH>Number</TH><TH>Name</TH><TH>Company</TH><TH>State</TH>
                </TR>

<! - - <ibyx>
<p> The MISQL block queries for customers, optionally selecting only customers
from the specified state. Because the contents of the block are generated
for every row of data, a new table row describes each customer.

The &amp ;nbsp; HTML entity is a non-breaking space. By putting a non-breaking
space in each column, we force the Web Browser to display the column even
if the value is null.
</p>
</ibyx> - ->
<?MISQL SQL= "SELECT customer_num, fname, lname, company, state FROM customer $WHERE_STR; ">
                <TR>
                <TD> $1  </TD><TD>$2  $3</TD><TD>$4 </TD><TD>$5 ,</TD>
                </TR>
<?/MISQL>

        </TABLE></P>

< ! - -  <ibyx>
<p> The sportsFooter dynamic tag creates a standard footer
for the HTML page.
</p>
</ibyx> - ->
<?sportsFooter>
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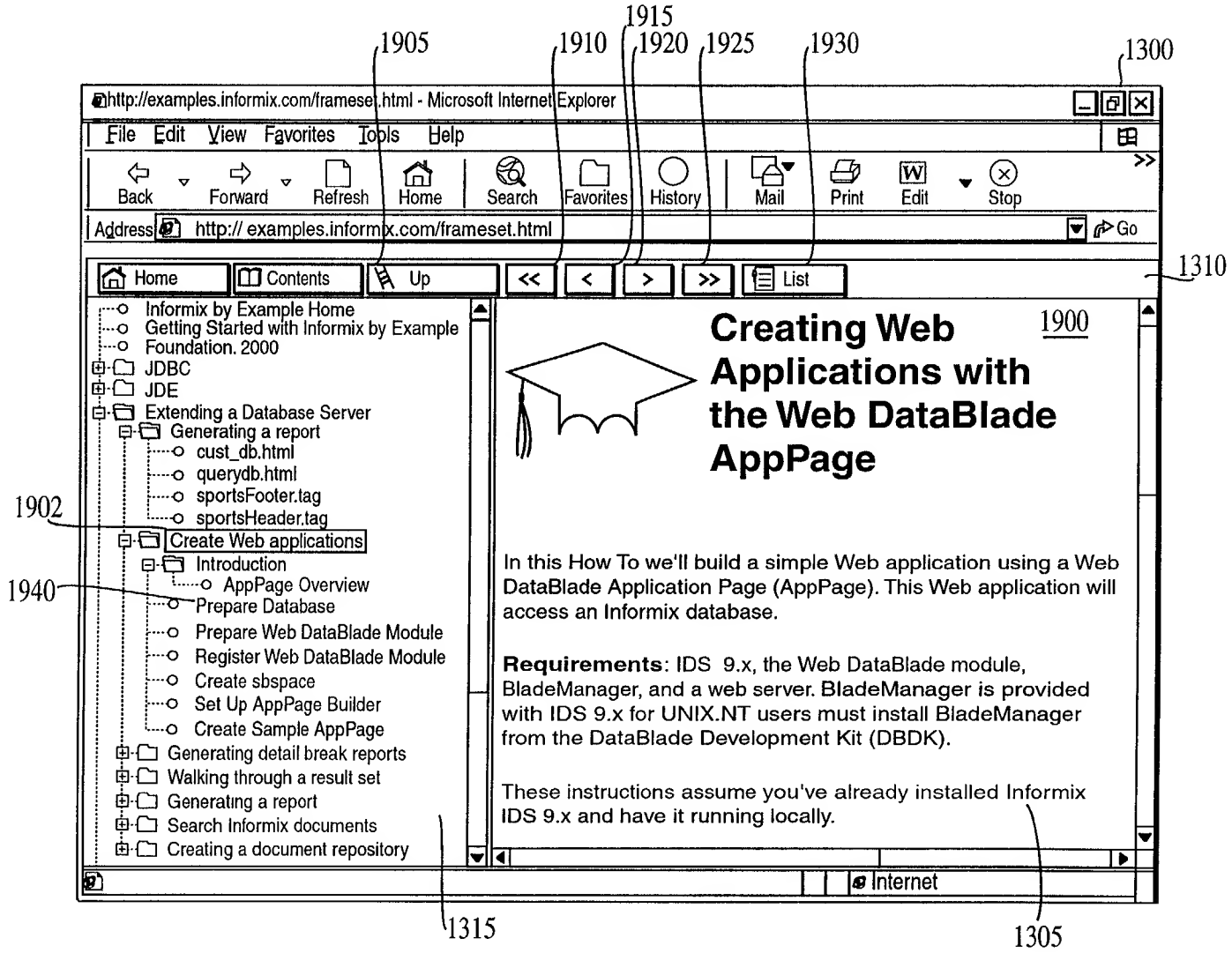
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These instructions assume you've already installed Informix IDS 9.x and have it running locally.
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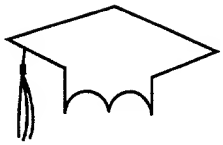

# Creating Web Applications with the Web DataBlade AppPage

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**Requirements:** IDS 9.x, the Web DataBlade module, BladeManager, and a web server. BladeManager is provided with IDS 9.x for UNIX. NT users must install BladeManager from the DataBlade Development Kit (DBDK)

These instructions assume you've already installed Informix IDS 9.x and have it running locally.

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Define a server connection and prepare a sample database.

1. Define a server connection with setnet32 (NT). Create a sample database or use the stores7 demo database. ▷ Prepare Database.

Prepare the Web DataBlade development environment.

2. Install the Web DataBlade module and BladeManager. ▷ Prepare Web DataBlade Development Environment.

3. Register the Web DataBlade module in the demo database with BladeManager. ▷ Register the Web DataBlade.

4. Create a sbspace for smart large objects, like gifs. ▷ Create Smart Blob Space (sbspace).

5. Install AppPage Builder in your database. ▷ Install AppPage Builder in Your Database.

6. Setup AppPage Builder on your web server. ▷ Setup AppPage Builder on Your Web Server.

7. Create a sample AppPage. ▷ Create Sample AppPage.

Run the sample application.

8. Enter the URL `http:// your_server/scripts/webdriver.exe`.

This How To has been compiled into two separate files for ease of printing. The basic file contains all of the steps you need to Create Web Applications with AppPage Builder. The secondary file contains additional detailed instructions for setting and testing database environment properties.

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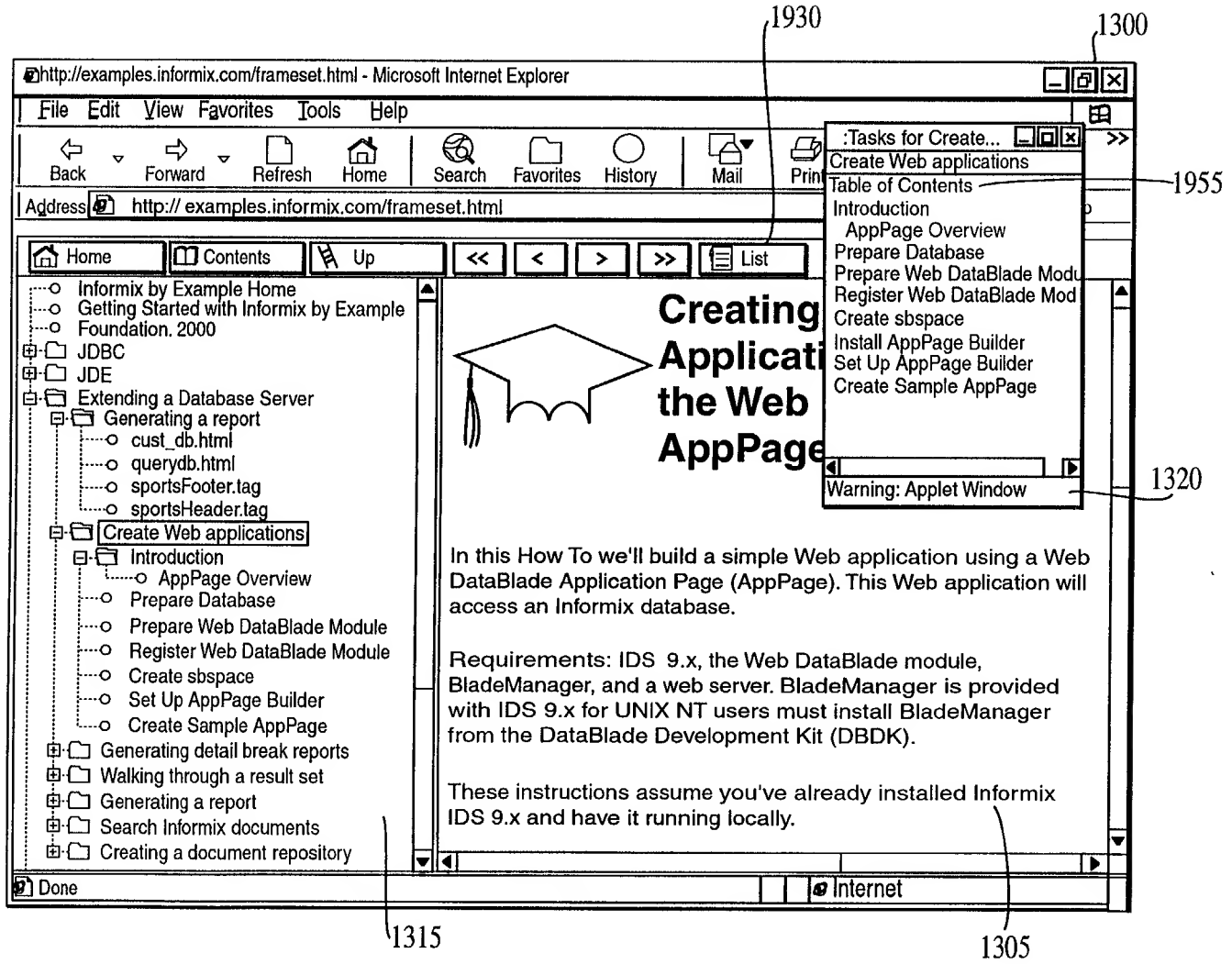
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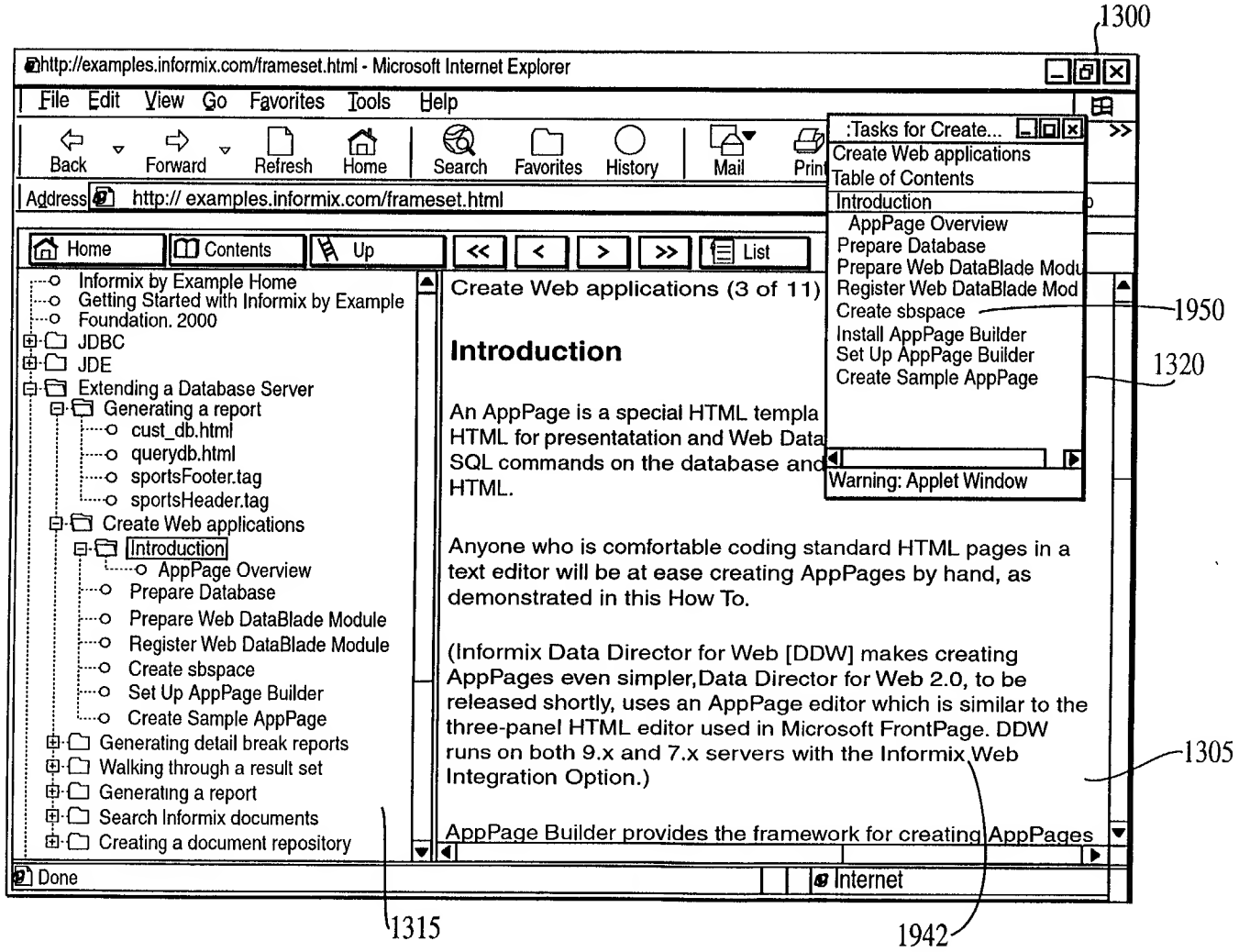
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Anyone who is comfortable coding standard HTML pages in a text editor will be at ease creating AppPages by hand, as demonstrated in this How To.
(Informix Data Director for Web [DDW] makes creating AppPages even simpler,Data Director for Web 2.0, to be released shortly, uses an AppPage editor which is similar to the three-panel HTML editor used in Microsoft FrontPage. DDW runs on both 9.x and 7.x servers with the Informix Web Integration Option.)
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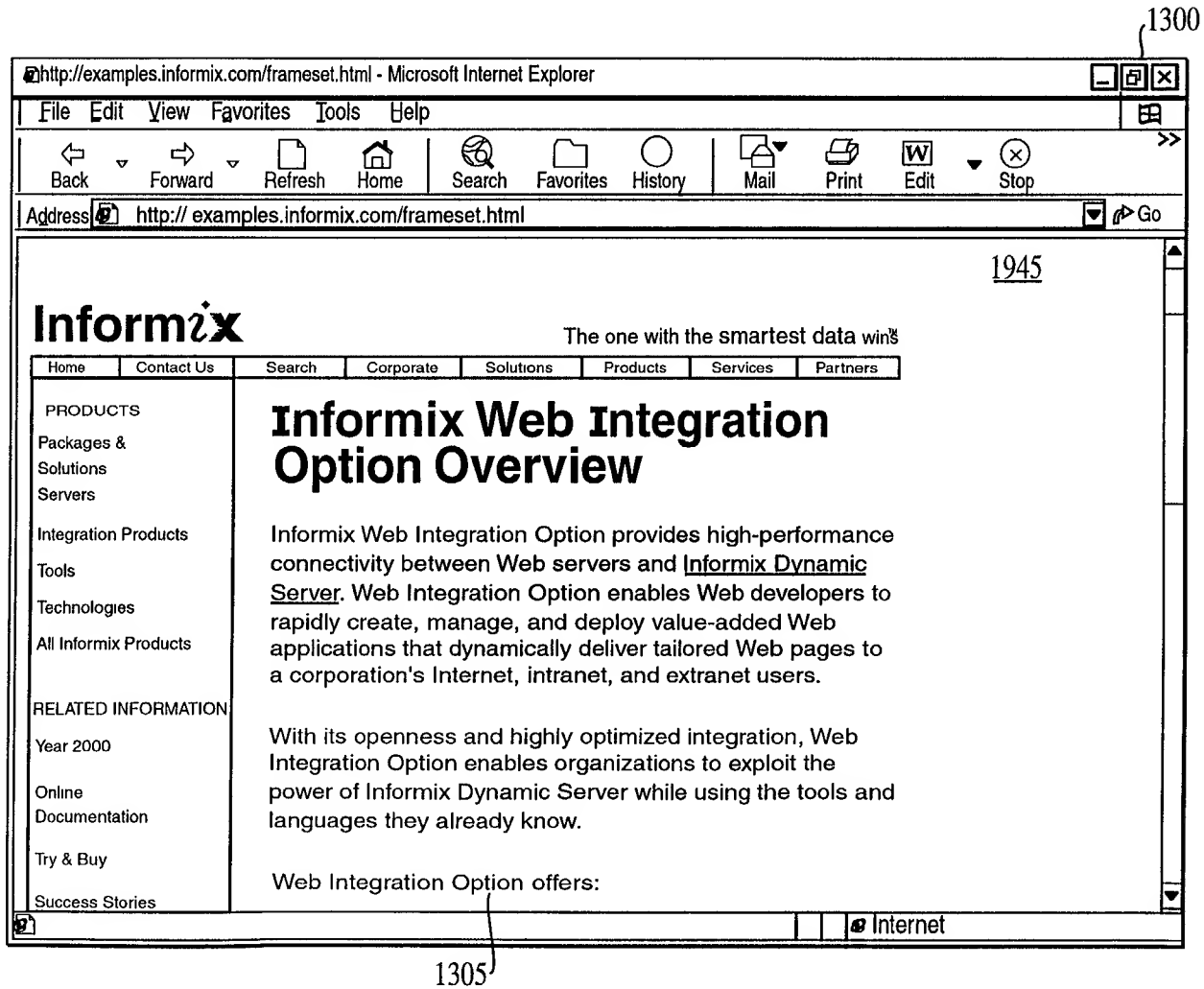
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Informix Web Integration Option provides high-performance connectivity between Web servers and Informix Dynamic Server. Web Integration Option enables Web developers to rapidly create, manage, and deploy value-added Web applications that dynamically deliver tailored Web pages to a corporation's Internet, intranet, and extranet users.
With its openness and highly optimized integration, Web Integration Option enables organizations to exploit the power of Informix Dynamic Server while using the tools and languages they already know.
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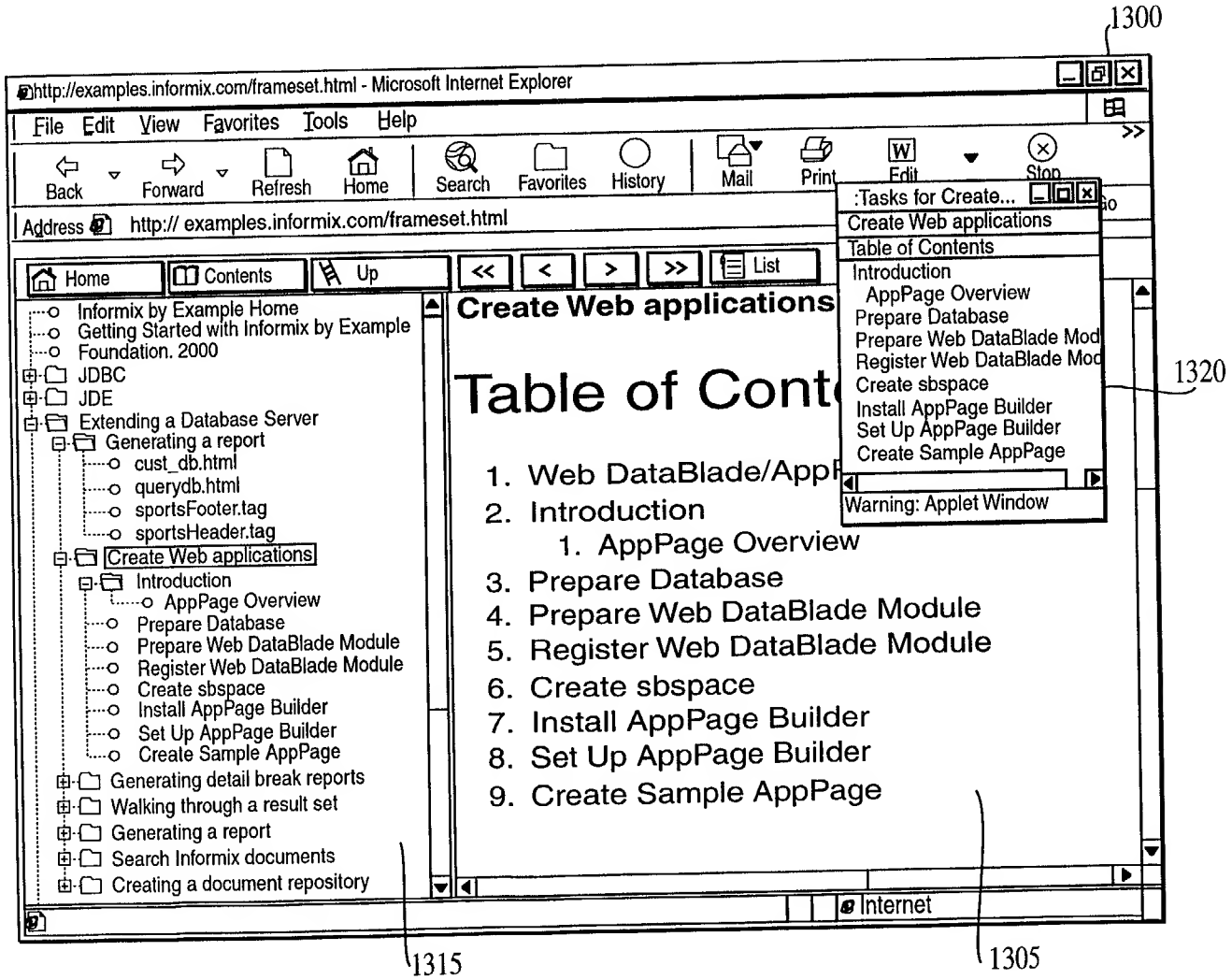
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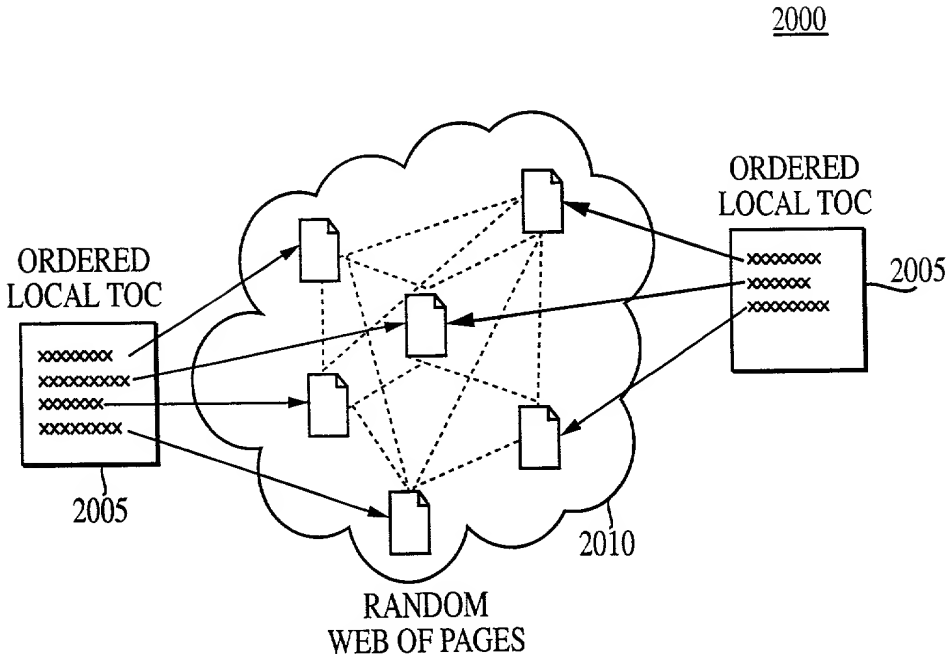
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